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This catalog, for specialists in the Area Agencies on Aging system, outlines specialized products and services, currently available in the private marketplace, which may enhance the independence of the elderly. The body of the catalog is divided into nine sections according to technological areas; a brief description of each area and the types of products it includes is provided at the beginning of each section. The areas are: (1) appliances; (2) clothing; (3) communications/electronics; (4) food; (5) health and safety; (6) home building and design; (7) recreation; (8) transportation; and (9) catalogs and manuals. Additionally, individual items in the catalog are indexed in four areas: personal needs categories, relating to daily chores, and activities and feelings that add to the quality of life; physiological limitations, which covers categories of limitations imposed by aging or health problems; business; and products. Listings for each item include: catalog classification; product brand name; name, address and telephone number of the distributor; product specifications, e.g., cost, size, color; and description of the product, e.g., function, operation, special features, and availability. The catalog also includes evaluation forms for specific products, and recommendation forms for items not in the catalog. Some of the products described in the catalog may need professional assessment of their appropriateness for a given client's need. (WAS)

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PREFACE

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is involved in a broad program to foster public-private partnership initiatives. A major facet of this program is to stimulate Pennsylvania businesses to recognize the mature consumer as a profitable market segment. The number of citizens 50 and over currently stands at some 59 million (1 out of 4 Americans) and is growing at a rate twice that of the total U.S. population. This segment of our population will exceed 70 million by the year 2000. More importantly form a marketing viewpoint, the U.S. Department of Commerce reports that households headed by those 50 and older have twice the discretionary income than the younger group. The economic power of this segment is indeed impressive comprising better than 25% of all U.S. consumer expenditures--some $500 Billion in personal income. In short, the stereotypic image of our elderly as being poor, inactive, and non-profitable from a broad marketplace perspective is simply not true.

This Catalog is an attempt by the Institute on Aging of Drexel University and the Pennsylvania Department of Aging to identify representative products and services which may enhance the independence of the elderly. There has been no attempt to be all inclusive in the selection of tiems or manufacturers/distributors. There are no guarantees, implied or stated, that the products will perform in the way described in the Catalog.

All descriptions and product specification, including cost, are intended to be a general portrayal of the items. For more definitive information contact the manufacturer and/or distributor. All product specifications are subject to change at the discretion of a manufacturer and/or distributor, whether or not they are listed in the Catalog. Furthermore, there may be other products and other manufacturers/distributors, not identified in this Catalog, which represent equal or superior alternatives.

ATTENTION

This Catalog was designed as a REFERENCE GUIDE for specialists in the Area Agencies on Aging system and NOT for PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION. Some of the products described in the Catalog may need professional assessment with regard to their appropriateness for a given client's need.

HOW TO USE THIS CATALOG

The body of this Catalog is arranged by technological areas with a brief description of each area and the types of products included at the beginning of each section. The technological areas are as follows -

- appliance industry
- clothing industry
- communications/electronics
- food industry
- health and safety
- home building/design
- recreation
- transportation
- catalogs and manuals

These areas were identified by the elderly themselves in national focus group interviews conducted in 1981 by the American Association of Retired Persons and the Institute on Aging at Drexel University.

The items in the Catalog are indexed in four ways -

1) The Personal Need Area Index is divided into seven areas -

- communications
- food and food preparation
- dressing and undressing
- personal hygiene
- home maintenance
- recreation/travel
- comfort and security

These categories relate to chores that a person performs daily and activities/feelings that add to the quality of life. Under each heading are listed the items that address that particular need and the page of the Catalog where the full description of the item appears.

2) The Physiological Limitation Index is divided into nine areas -

- vision
- hearing
- speech weakness
- dietary needs
- manual dexterity
- upper extremity weakness
- lower extremity weakness
- mobility
- physical/psychological comfort

These categories relate to physical limitations imposed by the normal aging process and/or the more common health problems which occur with advancing age. Under each heading are listed the items that address that particular limitation and the page where the full description appears.

3) The Business Index lists tha name and address for all companies that appear in the Catalog with page number references.

4) The Product Index lists the common (or generic) and brand name of all items with page reference to the body of the Catalog.

EVALUATION AND RECOMMENDATION FORMS

Located in the back of this Catalog are two forms, "Evaluation for Specific Product" and "Recommendation for Items not in Catalog." Please fill out the "Evaluation" form whenever you suggest to a client an item that appears in this Catalog. Please fill out the "Recommendation" form if you find an item that you feel should be included in this Catalog. Please return both sheets to the address on the bottom of the forms.

APPLIANCE INDUSTRY

This section contains products that are electrical appliances and items that are generally useful in all parts of the house, not just the kitchen (e.g. holders and lights). In selecting products the following criteria were used:

portability (used at convenient height - table or counter)
performing more than one task (gripper, holder)
cooking in small quantities (instead of using oven/stove top)
weight (lighter than most standard models)
performing a daily task in an easier way (e.g. opening a jar)
safety (e.g. boiling water, automatic night light)

OPENER FOR JAR/BOTTLE, "GRIPPER"

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Handy Aid Gripper
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $1.75
WIDTH: 4.88 inch diameter
COLOR: natural

DESCRIPTION:
a) flexible rubber with a double patterned surface providing suction for gripping
b) conforms to hand as well as to bottle and jar caps
c) protects hands from sharp edges
d) can be used as a non-slip pad for vases, bowls and tools
e) similiar item available in grocery and variety stores

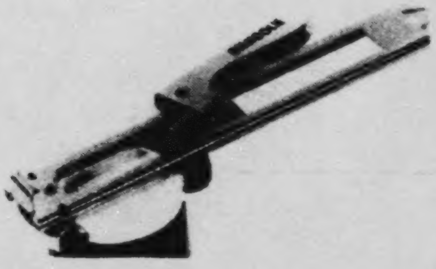
OPENER FOR JAR/BOTTLE

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Gilhoolie
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $8.75
LENGTH: 9 inches

DESCRIPTION:
a) removes bottle and jar caps - pry-up, screw or vacuum
b) 9 inch leverage provides the strength
c) use on large size jars to small vanilla bottles
d) reverse action reseals



OPENER FOR JARS

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Jar Opener
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Brookstone
ADDRESS: 127 Vose Farm Road
: Peterborough, NH 03458
TELEPHONE NUMBER: see below for PA retail stores location

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $2.95 (+ $2.45 shipping; $.18 sales tax)
SIZE: opens 0.5 to 3.5 inch diameter jar caps

DESCRIPTION:
a) wooden stick (approx. 1.5 inches square, 5 inches long) with circular unbreakable friction belt at one end
b) belt fits over jar caps and stick acts as a lever
c) retail stores-The Court at King of Prussia, PA; (215) (215) 337-0774 and 1620 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, PA; (215) 568-6641

OPENER FOR SCREW CAPS

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Screw-Cap opener
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $2.60
WIDTH: 2 inches
DEPTH: 1.75 inches
LENGTH: 2 inches

DESCRIPTION:
a) for bottles with screw caps
b) gives extra leverage and requires less strength
c) molded of rubber, the opener is flexible, has internal ridges to grip cap; fits over cap like a "top hat"
d) tapered to fit caps from .94 to 1.44 inch diameter
e) the top is square with concave sides

OPENER FOR CELLOPHANE BAGS

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Zip-It-Open
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Joyce Chen, Inc. (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: 411 Waverly Oaks Road
: Waltham, MA 02154

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $1.50

DESCRIPTION:
a) large tweezers with sharp points to pierce cellophane and plastic bags
b) after piercing, opener is pulled across bag and slits it open

HOLDER, SUCTION

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Suction Soap Holder, "Octopus"
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Vanderbuilt Products
ADDRESS: 585 Dean Street
: Brooklyn, NY
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (212) 622-2700

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $1.09
SIZE: 3 inches diameter; 0.38 inches thick
COLOR: pink

DESCRIPTION:
a) 24 tiny suction cups on both sides of flexible rubber disk
b) provides double-action grip to anchor dishes, glasses, bowls, etc.
c) available in grocery and variety stores

HOLDER FOR CEREAL, SOAP BOX

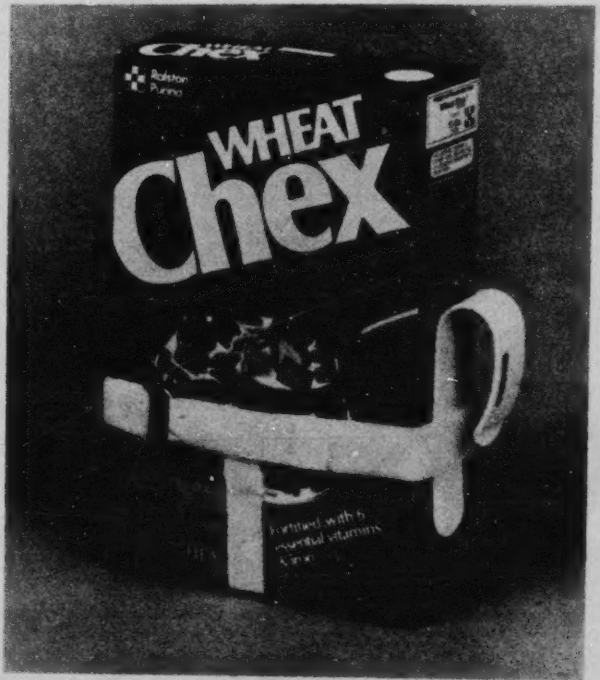
CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Box Holder
DISTRIBUTOR
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $5.50
SIZE: adjustable for standard box sizes
COLOR: white

DESCRIPTION:

a) for non-slip handling of boxes of cereal, soap powder, etc.
b) hand holder and harness for the box
c) harness is adjustable with Velcro straps and has a supporting band for the box bottom



SECURITY LIGHT

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: PHYSICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: GE Home Sentry Security Light model 8350
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: General Electric, Housewares Division
ADDRESS: Bridgeport, CN 06602
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 626-2000
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $10.00 - $17.00
WEIGHT: 1 lb.
SIZE: hand held

DESCRIPTION:
a) plugs into any standard outlet
b) lights when power goes off
c) unplug from outlet to use as a flashlight
d) also may be used as a rechargeable flashlight or night light
e) available in department, discount and variety stores

NIGHT LIGHT, AUTOMATIC

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: PHYSICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Sensor-Lite
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Cable Electric Products, Inc.
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 6767
: Providence, RI 02940

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $5.00
SIZE: hand held
ELECTRICAL INFO: plugs into any standard outlet

DESCRIPTION:
a) turns on automatically as room darkens; intensity of light increases with darkness
b) 7 watt bulb included
c) available in department, discount and variety stores

ALARM CLOCK RADIO

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: VISION

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Sears "Tradition" model 4AH 7191C
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $24.99 + shipping
WEIGHT: 1.5 lbs.
HEIGHT: 4.0 inches
WIDTH: 3.0 inches
LENGTH: 8.0 inches
ELECTRICAL INFO: 110-120 v., 60 Hz AC, 4 w. (UL listed)
CORD LENGTH: 5 feet
COLOR: black and silver

DESCRIPTION:
a) 1.8 inch electronic readout
b) setting controls on top
c) 9 minute snooze alarm
d) AM only
e) one year warranty
f) available in any Sears Catalog Store

ALARM CLOCK THAT TALKS

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: VISION

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: VoxClock Talking Clock
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Radio Shack - Regional Offices
ADDRESS: 1679 Washington Rd. Box 24
: Pittsburgh, PA 15228 Palmyra, NJ 08065
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (412) 344-5800 (609) 829-8506

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $79.95
HEIGHT: 3.5 inches
WIDTH: 6.5 inches
DEPTH: 4.5 inches
ELECTRICAL INFO: AC; battery back-up with 6 "AA" batteries
COLOR: simulated walnut finish

DESCRIPTION:
a) "speaks" every half hour or only when button is pushed
b) 0.7 inch electronic display
c) 24 hour talking alarm with two alarm settings
d) button for calendar
e) warning light for weak or missing batteries
f) available in Radio Shack retail stores

ALARM CLOCK RADIO THAT TALKS

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: VISION

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Sears Talking Machine, model 57 AH 2392
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $119.95
WEIGHT: 4 lbs. 3 oz. (shipping)
HEIGHT: 7.5 inches
WIDTH: 3.5 inches
LENGTH: 7.5 inches
ELECTRICAL INFO: 120 v., 60 Hz, AC
CORD LENGTH: 5.5 feet
COLOR: gray and silver plastic cabinet

DESCRIPTION:
a) AM/FM clock radio with 0.6 inch electronic readout with PM
b) can be programmed for separate wake-up times, appointment time or medication times
c) can be programmed to announce time (male or female voice) every hour or half hour
d) voice tells time at touch of bar
e) snooze alarm
f) emergency 9 volt battery (not included) in case of power failure
g) radio has 3 inch speakers and built-in AM/FM antenna
h) 90 day warranty
i) available in Sears Catalog Stores

COFFEE MAKER, ELECTRIC

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: PHYSICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: GE Digital Brew Starter model DCM50
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: General Electric, Housewares Division
ADDRESS: Bridgeport, CN 06602
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 626-2000
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $40.98
SIZE: 2-10 cup capacity
ELECTRICAL INFO: 1100 w, 120 v, AC only
COLOR: white

DESCRIPTION:
a) drip coffeemaker with see-through water reservoir with cup markings
b) 24 hour electronic digital clock/timer starts brewing cycle at pre-set time; indicator light shows "Auto" cycle is on
c) when coffee is brewed, unit shifts from brewing to "keep warm" cycle
d) available in department, discount and variety stores

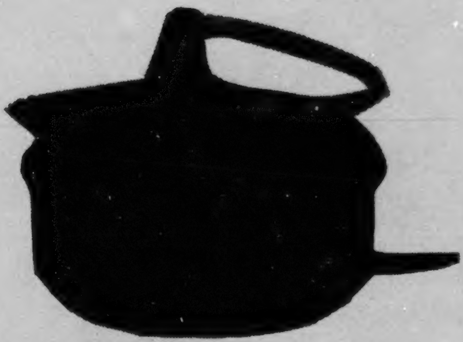
TEAKETTLE, ELECTRIC

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Automatic Teakettle
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $35.00
SIZE: 2 quarts
ELECTRICAL INFO: 1500 watts; permanent cord
COLOR: stainless steel

DESCRIPTION:
a) boils water and shuts itself off if you forget to unplug it
b) one-piece construction
c) specially designed handle and spout for easy pouring



TEAKETTLE, ELECTRIC

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Sunbeam "Hot Shot" Beverage Maker #17-16
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Sunbeam Corporation
ADDRESS: 5400 Roosevelt Road
: Chicago, IL 60650
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (312) 854-3500
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $17.36 - $27.95
WEIGHT: 2 lbs.
SIZE: 12 ounce capacity
ELECTRICAL INFO: AC only

DESCRIPTION:
a) heats 12 ounces of water in 90 seconds
b) water is poured into top of dispenser and cup is placed beneath dispenser
c) depress one button to heat water; when signal light comes on depress second button to release heated water
d) available in department, discount and variety stores

TEAKETTLE, ELECTRIC

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Moulinex 2 Liter Electric Kettle model 605
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Moulinex Manufacturing, Inc.
ADDRESS: 2820-T Crusader Circle
: Virginia Beach, VA 23545
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (804) 468-3500
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $19.95 - $28.99
WEIGHT: 2 lbs.
SIZE: 2 quart capacity (approximately)
ELECTRICAL INFO: permanent cord
COLOR: stainless steel with white top

DESCRIPTION:
a) automatically shuts off when boils dry
b) handle on top; large spout
c) available in department, discount and variety stores

TEAKETTLE, ELECTRIC

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: GE Electric Kettle KE720
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: General Electric, Housewares Division
ADDRESS: Bridgeport, CN 06602
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 626-2000
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $40.00
SIZE: 1.5 quart capacity
ELECTRICAL INFO: 1500 w, 120 v, AC only
COLOR: chrome with white handle

DESCRIPTION:
a) boils one quart of water in less than five minutes
b) shuts off if boils dry or is plugged in when empty
c) available in department, discount and variety stores

GRIDDLE/HAMBURGER MAKER

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: PrestoBurger/2 Hamburger Cooker model 05330
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Presto
ADDRESS: 3925 Hastings Way
: Eau Claire, WI

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $9.95 - $19.95
WEIGHT: 5 lbs.
SIZE: holds two hamburgers or two sandwiches
COLOR: black

DESCRIPTION:
a) broils two hamburgers (3/8 inches thick)
b) tray reverses to hold sandwiches, steaks
c) non-stick surface
d) cover closes to broil hamburgers, reduces grease splattering
e) available in department, discount and variety stores

FRY PAN, ELECTRIC, WITH CERAMIC INSERT

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Sunbeam Crocker Fry Pan model 7-163
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Sunbeam Corporation
ADDRESS: 5400 Roosevelt Road
: Chicago, IL 60650
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (312) 854-3500
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $43.94 - $69.95
WEIGHT: 11 lbs.
SIZE: 12 inches square
ELECTRICAL INFO: AC only; detachable cord
COLOR: gold

DESCRIPTION:
a) ceramic insert allows for slow cooking for stews, etc.
b) immersible for easy cleaning
c) whole meal can be cooked at one time in one pan
d) available in department, discount and variety stores

TOASTER OVEN/BROILER

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Munsey Toaster/Oven/Broiler
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Munsey Products Inc.
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 9830
: Little Rock, AK 72219
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (501) 568-7870
CONTACT PERSON: Bob Poynter

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $39.95 - $43.95
WEIGHT: 14 pounds
SIZE: holds 4 slices of bread
COLOR: chrome and white

DESCRIPTION:
a) toasts, bakes, top browns, broils
b) rotary heat control knob on side; temperature setting appears in window in knob
c) oven thermostat controls to 500 degrees
d) available in discount stores and catalog showroom stores

TOASTER OVEN/BROILER

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: GE Toast n Broil Toast-R-Oven
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: General Electric, Housewares Division
ADDRESS: Bridgeport, CN 06602
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 626-2000
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $43.00 - $60.00
WEIGHT: 10 pounds
SIZE: holds 4 slices of bread
COLOR: chrome with wood grain sides

DESCRIPTION:
a) toasts, bakes, top browns, broils
b) toasting cycle has signal bell and automatic shut-off at end of cycle
c) oven thermostat controls 200 - 500 degrees
d) hinged bottom crumb tray for cleaning
e) oven will accomodate 8 inch square baking pan
f) available in department, discount and variety stores

TOASTER OVEN

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: GE Toast-R-oven model T104
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: General Electric, Housewares Division
ADDRESS: Bridgeport, CN 06602
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 626-2000
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $34.95 (discount price)
WEIGHT: 9 pounds
SIZE: holds 4 slices of bread
ELECTRCIAL INFO: 1500 w, 120 v, AC only
COLOR: chrome with wood grain sides

DESCRIPTION:
a) automatically shuts off on toasting cycle
b) oven thermostat controls 200-500 degrees; top browns
c) hinged bottom crumb tray for cleaning
d) available in department, discount and variety stores

CAN OPENER, ELECTRIC

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Rival Can Opener/Bag Opener/Knife Sharpener
: model 7442M
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Rival Manufacturing Co.
ADDRESS: 36th & Bennington
: Kansas City, MO 64129
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (816) 861-1000
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $16.97 - $29.95
WEIGHT: 4 lbs.
COLOR: white

DESCRIPTION:
a) strips top off plastic, wax paper bags
b) stops automatically when can is opened
c) removable cutting assembly for cleaning
d) sharpens non-serrated knives
e) available in department, discount and variety stores

IRON

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: HYGIENE
3: UPPER EXTREMITY WEAKNESS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: GE Light 'n' Easy Self Clean II Model F340AL
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: General Electric, Housewares Division
ADDRESS: Bridgeport, CN 06602
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 626-2000
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $27.97 - $42.98
WEIGHT: 2.6 lbs.
ELECTRICAL INFO: 1100 w, 120 v, AC only
CORD LENGTH: 8 feet
COLOR: almond

DESCRIPTION:

a) full size iron with spray, surge of steam, steam and dry features
b) polished aluminum soleplate with 38 vents
c) see-through window shows amount of water in iron
d) 7 inch heel bar for stability
e) also available in other models that vary in features and price
f) available in department, discount and variety stores

REFRIGERATOR/FREEZER

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Kenmore 5.7 cu. ft. side-by-side
: Compact Refrigerator-Freezer 46AH92602N
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $479.95
SIZE: 5.7 cu.ft. (3.3, refrigerator; 2.4, freezer)
WEIGHT: 110 lbs.
HEIGHT: 33.6 inches
WIDTH: 37.6 inches
DEPTH: 20.0 inches (including handles)
ELECTRICAL INFO: 110-120 v, 60 Hz, AC only
CORD LENGTH: 5 feet

DESCRIPTION:
a) polystrene plastic interior
b) enamel-finished cabinet; woodgrain-look doors; vinyl-clad steel counter top
c) refrigerator - interior light, adjustable cold control, 3 slide-out shelves, crisper with glass lid, drip/meat tray, door has egg rack and two shelves
d) freezer - manual defrost, 8 plastic cube trays, door has three racks
e) available through any Sears Catalog Store

TIMER WITH LARGE NUMBERS

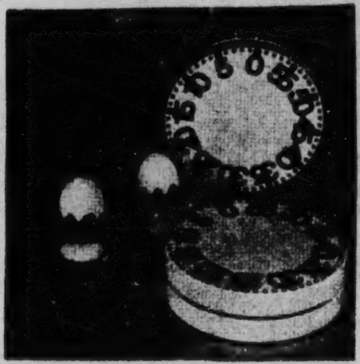
CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: VISION

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Big Timer
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: American Family Scale
ADDRESS: 3718 South Ashland Avenue
: Chicago, IL 60609
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (312) 376-6811

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $13.99
SIZE: 6 inches diameter
HEIGHT: 1 inch numbers
DEPTH: 2 inch high
COLOR: white, brown, yellow, almond
: black numbers and dots

DESCRIPTION:

a) numbers at 5 minute intervals; dots at one minute spacing
b) non-electric; hand set dial can be set at any interval from 1 to 60 minutes
c) long ring of 8 seconds when fully wound
d) may be mounted on wall or placed on table
e) similiar product, with long ring of 14 seconds, available from Maddak, Inc., $13.50 (see Appendix A)
f) available in houseware, department and variety stores



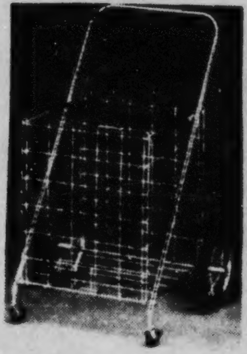
SHOPPING CART

CLASSIFICATION 1: APPLIANCE INDUSTRY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: UPPER EXTREMITY WEAKNESS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Shopping Cart
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $35.00
WEIGHT: 12.6 pounds (approximate)
HEIGHT: 22 inches
WIDTH: 17 inches
DEPTH: 14 inches
COLOR: aluminum

DESCRIPTION:
a) heavy gauge wire basket - rust resistant
b) 10 inch back wheels; free wheeling casters in front
c) folds for storage



CLOTHING INDUSTRY

Items in this section facilitate ease in dressing or describe articles of clothing that accommodate physiological limitations.

manual dexterity (Velcro fasteners)
mobility - bending (long shoehorn)
mobility - range of motion (front fastening clothing)
safety (gripper slippers)

SOCK AND HOSE HELPER

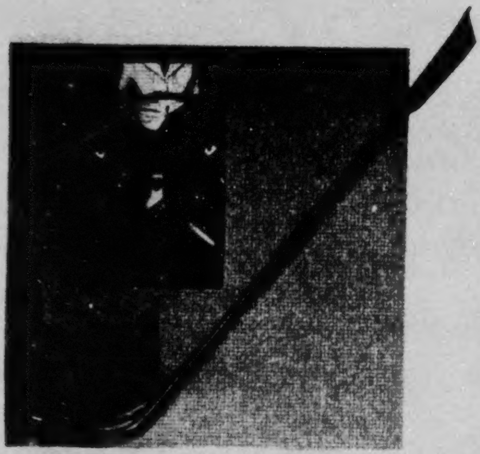
CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: DRESSING AND UNDRESSING
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Hose Helper
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 964-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $21.00
WEIGHT: 12 ounces
LENGTH: 28.5 inches (extended length)
COLOR: natural with chrome handle

DESCRIPTION:

a) non-snagging plastic half-cylinder holds the stocking open; it is pulled over the foot using the long metal handle, which is attached
b) removal of the stocking is done by using the other end of of the handle, which is a combination shoehorn and hose remover
c) use requires minimum bending



PANTY HOSE AID

CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: DRESSING AND UNDRESSING
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Panty Hose Aid
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 964-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $12.50
LENGTH: adjustable
COLOR: white

DESCRIPTION:

a) double shaped plastic sheet rigid enough to keep the panty hose open but flexible enough to form a channel for the foot
b) three cloth straps are attached to the plastic sheet by grommets and garter clips
c) the plastic forms are removed from the panty after the foot is in place
d) the panty hose is then pulled up by the garter clips

SHOEHORN WITH LONG HANDLE

CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: DRESSING AND UNDRESSING
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Long Shoehorn (8 AH 1372)
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $1.99
WEIGHT: 2 ounces (shipping)
LENGTH: 19.5 inches

DESCRIPTION:
a) shoes can be slipped on without having to bend over or reach down
b) one-piece plastic
c) available through any Sears Catalog Store

SHOEHORN WITH FOAM HANDLE

CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: DRESSING AND UNDRESSING
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Soft Built-Up Shoe Horn
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 942-1190
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $3.50 $3.95 $4.55
LENGTH: 12 inches 18 inches 24 inches
COLOR: stainless steel

DESCRIPTION:
a) foam handle
b) nylon loop at the top can be placed around the wrist or used to hang up the shoehorn

SHOE LACES, ELASTIC

CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: DRESSING AND UNDRESSING
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Elastic Shoe Laces
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $3.95/3 pairs
COLOR: brown, black

DESCRIPTION:
a) permits shoes to be slipped on or off without tying or untying

SHOE FASTENERS

CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: DRESSING AND UNDRESSING
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: No-Bows for shoes
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $2.50/pair
COLOR: black, brown,

DESCRIPTION:
a) plastic clip on laces tightens or releases laces with one hand

VELCRO FASTENER TAPE

CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: DRESSING AND UNDRESSING
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Velcro Fastener Tape (8 AH 1380)
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $4.99
WEIGHT: 1 ounce (shipping)
WIDTH: 1 inch
LENGTH: 36 inches
COLOR: white

DESCRIPTION:
a) sew to clothing instead of buttons
b) cut to size needed
c) available through Sears Catalog Stores

BUTTON FASTENER

CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: DRESSING AND UNDRESSING
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Button Loop
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 964-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $6.00 (for both sizes)
LENGTH: 5 inches (handle)

DESCRIPTION:
a) assists in one-hand buttoning
b) the loop is passed through the button hole and over the button, then pulled back through the button hole and released
c) molded polypropylene plastic handle; piano wire loop
d) handle has a hang-up hole and sliding rings for finger positioning
e) two sizes - for small buttons and for large buttons

DRESSING STICK

CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: DRESSING AND UNDRESSING
3: UPPER EXTREMITY WEAKNESS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Dressing Stick
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $3.00
LENGTH: 27 inches

DESCRIPTION:
a) wooden stick has small "c" hook and one end and large pusher on the other
b) aids in pulling zippers, tucking shirts; large pusher helps remove clothes

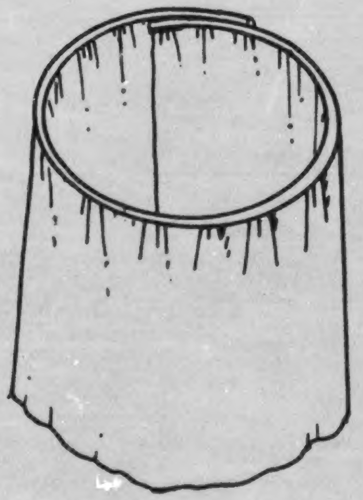
APRON CLIP

CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: DRESSING AND UNDRESSING
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Apron CLIP
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $2.00; 2/$3.50

DESCRIPTION:
a) flexible circular plastic hoop for slip-on aprons
b) apron slides out of hoop for laundering
c) similiar product, "Apron Hoop," available for $1.95 from Fred Sammon's, Inc. (see Appendix A)



SOCKS/SLIPPERS

CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: PHYSICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Safe Gripper Slipper (bed sock)
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $2.00; 2 pairs/$3.50
SIZE: small = 6-8 sock size; medium = 9-11;
: large = 11-14 (black only)
COLOR: aqua, white

DESCRIPTION:
a) terry cloth slippers with slip-resistant bottom
b) washable

BLANKET ROBE

CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: PHYSICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Poncho-Blanket
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08553
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $20.00
WIDTH: 60 inches
LENGTH: 50 inches
COLOR: bright plaid

DESCRIPTION:
a) use as a lap robe or unzip and it becomes a poncho cover up
b) acrylic material, machine washable

DRESS WITH FRONT OPENING

CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: DRESSING AND UNDRESSING
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Front Opening Dress
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $36.00
WEIGHT: 15 ounces (shipping)
SIZE: Small (4,6,8); Medium (10,12,14);
: Large (16,18; Extra Large (20,22)
COLOR: navy, khaki tan, red

DESCRIPTION:
a) 65% cotton; 35% polyester
b) Velcro closures along front length of dress
c) shawl collar; dolman sleeves; matching sash
d) machine washable
e) available through any Sears Catalog Store

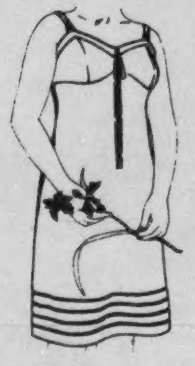
SLIP WITH FRONT ZIPPER

CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: DRESSING AND UNDRESSING
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Zip Front Slip
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill NJ 08533.
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $19.00
SIZE: 32 - 44
LENGTH: 14 inch zipper; adjustable hem
COLOR: white

DESCRIPTION:
a) zipper has small silk pull
b) hem is adjustable by snipping stitches that hold 1.25 inch bands (4 bands)
d) made of nylon



Zip Front Slip

SLACKS FOR MEN WITH VELCRO CLOSURE

CLASSIFICATION 1: CLOTHING INDUSTRY
2: DRESSING AND UNDRESSING
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Men's Drop Front Slacks
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $30.00
WEIGHT: 11 ounces (shipping)
SIZE: Waist = 30-44 inches; Inseam = 28-32 inches
COLOR: camel, navy gray

DESCRIPTION:
a) Velcro closures at waistband and sides of front flap
b) two back pockets placed higher than conventional pockets
c) 100% polyester
d) available through any Sears Catalog Store

COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS

This section contains products which enhance the comfort and safety of the individual. They address themselves to the normal physiological limitations that will be incurred with age and the psychological well being of participating in routine activities.

security (emergency response systems)
hearing limitations (telephone adaptations)
vision (telephone with large numbers)
manual dexterity (writing board)
psychological well being (TV sound amplifier)

PERSONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM (MONITOR)

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: PHYSICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Lifeline Emergency Response System
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Lifeline Systems, Inc. (see Appendix B)
ADDRESS: 400 Main Street
: Waltham, MA 02254
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (814) 237-5139 (Pennsylvania)
CONTACT PERSON: Lucy Jordan, PA Representative

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: varies, for example - througn Jeanes Hosp.,
: Phila. - $0-$10/month based on ability to
pay or $450 purchase price (donation to
: Jeanes);$65 installation to Bell Telephone;
: also volume discounts and leasing plans

SIZE: stationary unit - plugs into telephone
: remote unit - hand held or clipped on
: 3 x 1.5 inches

DESCRIPTION:

a) stationary unit has automatic dialer to one predetermined number (monitoring center)
b) reset button - must be reset every 12 ot 24 hours; automatically reset when telephone receiver is picked up for more than 5 seconds
c) responder - person(s) willing to be on a monitoring list for the client who has the device
d) when a signal comes into the monitoring center -
    1) center calls client to determine if signal was sent accidentally
    2) if no answer, responder is notified
    3) if responder does not answer, center calls police who have authority to break into client's home
e) range of 200 yards

PERSONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM (MONITOR)

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: PHYSICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: GTE Companion Service
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: GTE Companion Service
ADDRESS: 2503 East Bay Drive
: Largo, FL 33541
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (813) 536-0423 (Pinellas County)
: (800) 282-8112 (elsewhere in Florida)
CONTACT PERSON: David D. Hizer

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: two plans (costs per month)
COST: 1) $24.95 - control unit and one assist button
: 5.00 - smoke detector add on
: 20.00 - intrusion add on
: plus one time programming and installation
: $100.00 (payable in installments)
: 2) $19.95 - control + assist button + smoke + intrusion
: plus one time programming and installation
: $200.00 - control unit and assist button
: 115.00 - smoke detector
: 200.00 - intrusion
SIZE: hand-held, pocketed or clipped on

DESCRIPTION:
a) contol unit automatically dials monitoring center
b) smoke and intrusion add-ons dial monitoring center which calls fire or police departments
c) availability - currently in Tampa/Sarasota area, Miami/ Fort Lauderdale; second phase expansion planned for Los Angeles and San Diego in 1982-83
d) all prices include maintenance

PERSONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: PHYSICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Med-E-Lert
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Emergency Communications Systems, Inc.
ADDRESS: 2874 Limekiln Pike
: North Hills, PA 19038
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 885-0900
CONTACT PERSON: Steve Mishory

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: Varies - approximately $.50-$5.00/day
: free demonstration and estimate
WEIGHT: 0.75 ounces
SIZE: 2 x 3 inches
ELECTRICAL INFO: AC with rechargeable battery

DESCRIPTION:
a) stationary unit automatically dials control center
b) second channel can be programmed to directly dial police or whomever client designates
c) special jack (installed by Bell Telephone) by-passes telephone
d) pendant can be worn or attached with Velcro
e) additional assist buttons can be installed
f) range of 300-500 feet for pendant

PERSONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: PHYSICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Call For Help
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Call For Help
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 189
: Warrington, PA 18976
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 699-5766
CONTACT PERSON: Charles Friend

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $248.00 completely installed (purchase price)
: $98.00 installation fee; $15.00/month for
: one year, then $1.00 purchase (lease-purchase)
SIZE: 2 x 3 inches

DESCRIPTION:

a) a "neighbor to neighbor" system
b) transmitter is carried by person; receiver must be located within 300-400 feet of transmitter (same house or another house or apartment within receivable range)
c) a sticker with emergency information is placed on receiver's telephone
d) transmitter's signal can be activated by
    1) push switch(with any part of the body)
    2) puff switch (blowing on switch)
    3) air cushion switch (most sensitive switch - a light touch by any part of the body will activate signal)
e) available anywhere in United States

TELEPHONE - LIGHT OPERATED BELL

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMMUNICATION
3: HEARING

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Signalman
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Bell of Pennsylvania
ADDRESS: Handicapped Services Center
TELEPHONE NUMBER: an 800 number and an 800 TDD number located
: in the front of every telephone book in PA
CONTACT PERSON: Service Representative

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $2.68/month; $37.00 installation
ELECTRICAL INFO: plugs into electrical outlet

DESCRIPTION:
a) for persons who cannot hear the telephone ring
b) operates from customer's own table lamp
c) flashes the lamp on and off when the telephone rings
d) operates whether lamp is turned off or on
e) also available on TDD or TTY
f) all special equipment can be tried at the Center

TELEPHONE WITH AMPLIFIED RECIEVER

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMMUNICATION
3: HEARING

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Amplifying Handset for Impaired Hearing
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Bell of Pennsylvania
ADDRESS: Handicapped Services Center
TELEPHONE NUMBER: an 800 number and an 800 TDD number located
: in the front of every telephone book in PA
CONTACT PERSON: Service Representative

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $.79/month; or $41.00 single payment;
: $27.00 installation
COLOR: most telephone colors

DESCRIPTION:
a) replaces existing receiver on desk model or princess telephones; not recommended for trimline
b) amplifies caller's voice for persons with impaired hearing
c) adjustable amplifier
d) telephone can also be used by persons with normal hearing
e) all special equipment can be tried at the Center

TELEPHONE AMPLIFIER FOR SPEAKER'S VOICE

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMMUNICATION
3: SPEECH WEAKNESS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Weak Speech Amplifier
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Bell of Pennsylvania
ADDRESS: Handicapped Services Center
TELEPHONE NUMBER: an 800 number and an 800 TDD number located
: in the front of every telephone book in PA
CONTACT PERSON: Service Representative

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $.79/month; $41.00 single payment
: $27.00 installation
COLOR: most telephone colors

DESCRIPTION:
a) for persons with weak or "whisper" speech
b) adjustable wheel increases speaker's voice
c) telephone can also be used by person with normal speech
d) all special equipment can be tried at the Center

TELEPHONE BELL ON WALL

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMMUNICATION
3: HEARING

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Tone Ringer
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Bell of Pennsylvania
ADDRESS: Handicapped Services Center
TELEPHONE NUMBER: an 800 number and an 800 TDD number located
: in the front of every telephone book in PA
CONTACT PERSON: Service Representative

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $.90/month or $47.00 single payment
: $34.50 installation

DESCRIPTION:
a) for persons with impaired hearing
b) hangs on wall next to telephone
c) rings 20 times per second (10 seconds in high tones; 10 seconds in low tones)
d) adjustable for loudness
e) all special equipment can be tried at the Center

TELEPHONE WITH BIG BUTTONS

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMMUNICATION
3: VISION

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Big Button Telephone
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Bell of Pennsylvania
ADDRESS: Phone Center Stores
TELEPHONE NUMBER: listed in front of telephone book
CONTACT PERSON: Service Representative

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $175.00
SIZE: each push button is 1.75 inches square
COLOR: buttons are red, orange and yellow

DESCRIPTION:
a) buttons are easy to push
b) numbers are large; letters are very small

TELEPHONE - LARGE NUMBERS FOR TOUCH TONE PHONE

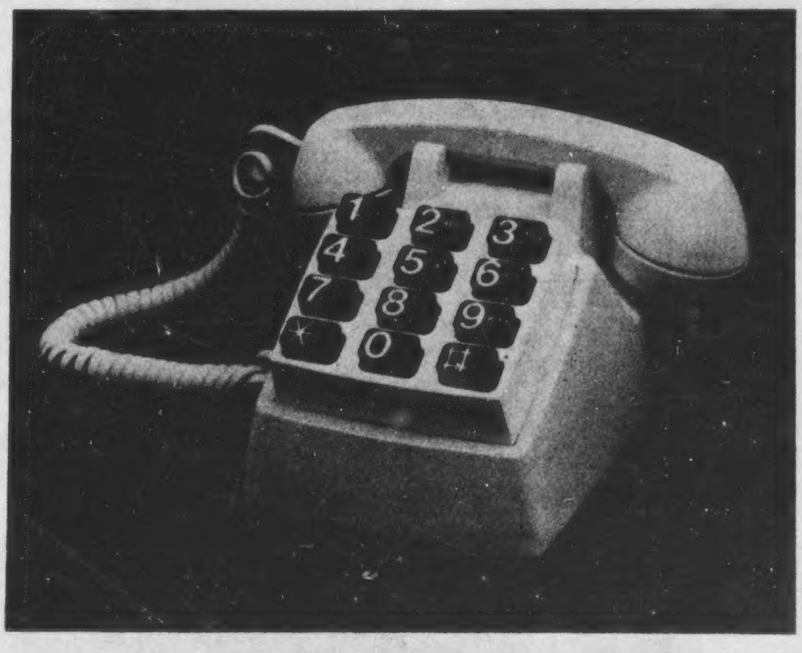
CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMMUNICATION
3: VISION

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Touchables (Touch Phone Attachment)
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $10.00
WIDTH: 4 inches
DEPTH: 1.25 inches
LENGTH: 3.5 inches
COLOR: black and white

DESCRIPTION:

a) plastic attachment fits directly over standard desk model touch phone key board
b) attached at all four corners by adhesive pads (supplied)
c) provides enlarged numbers and keys (approx. 1 x 1 inches for each button)



HOLDER AND EXTENDER FOR TELEPHONE RECEIVER

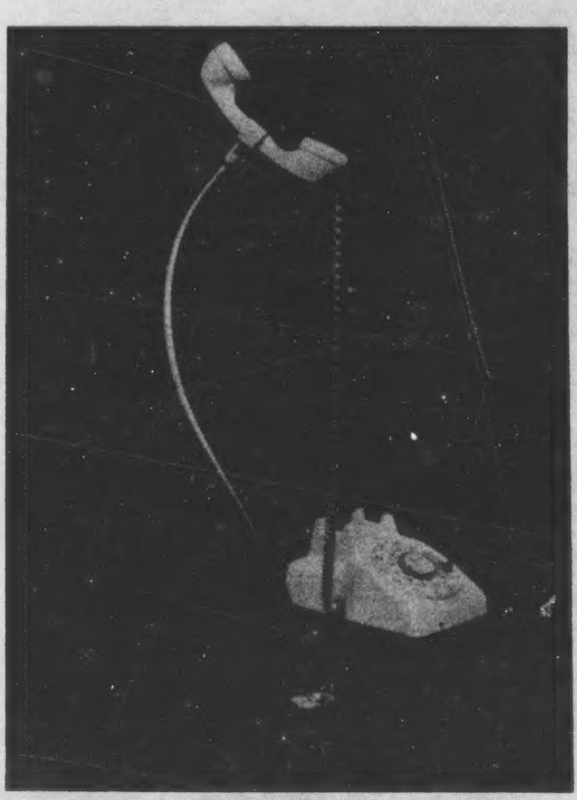
CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMMUNICATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Telephone Extension Arm
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $39.00
LENGTH: 29 inches
COLOR: chrome-plated steel

DESCRIPTION:

a) a long semi rigid steel cable with a clamp for the telephone receiver permitting use of the telephone with free hands
b) receiver may be attached to the extension arm at all times
c) when a call is completed, a 1.25 x 4.0 inch flat steel bar weight is placed on the telephone cradle to cut off the signal



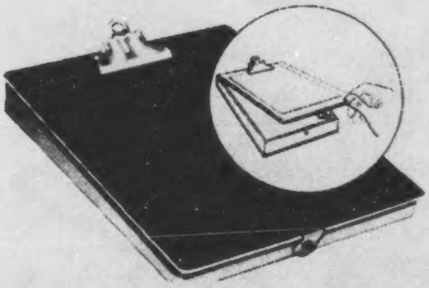
CLIP BOARD

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMMUNICATION
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Clip Caddy
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $10.50
WIDTH: 12 inches
LENGTH: 10 inches
COLOR: black or woodgrain

DESCRIPTION:
a) paper holding clip board has 1.5 inches deep compartment for pens, paper, stamps
b) snap closer for compartment
c) simulated leather



WRITING BOARD

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMMUNICATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Sta-Board
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $8.85
WIDTH: 11.25 inches
LENGTH: 14.25 inches

DESCRIPTION:

a) writing aid which holds paper securely permitting the writer to write in a straight line using only one hand
b) tempered masonite board has a magnetic surface, a raised margin and holds up to 14 inch long paper
c) flexible magnetic strips hold the paper down so it can be used at an angle, in bed, on the lap or at a desk

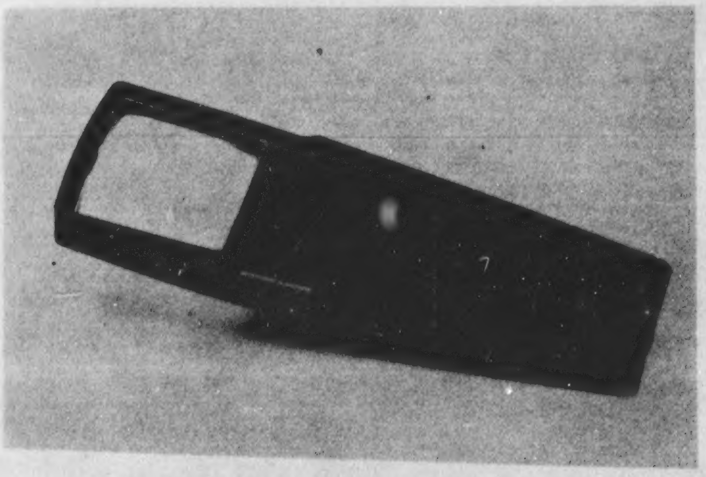
MAGNIFIER WITH LIGHT

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMMUNICATION
3: VISION

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Lighted Magnifier
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $4.50
WIDTH: 1.5 inches
DEPTH: .88 inches
LENGTH: 4.75 inches
COLOR: black with red thumb switch

DESCRIPTION:
a) 1.25 inch square clear acrylic unbreakable lens with a focused flashlight
b) housed in a plastic case holding two AAA batteries and a high intensity bulb (both supplied)
c) light is on only when thumb switch is pressed



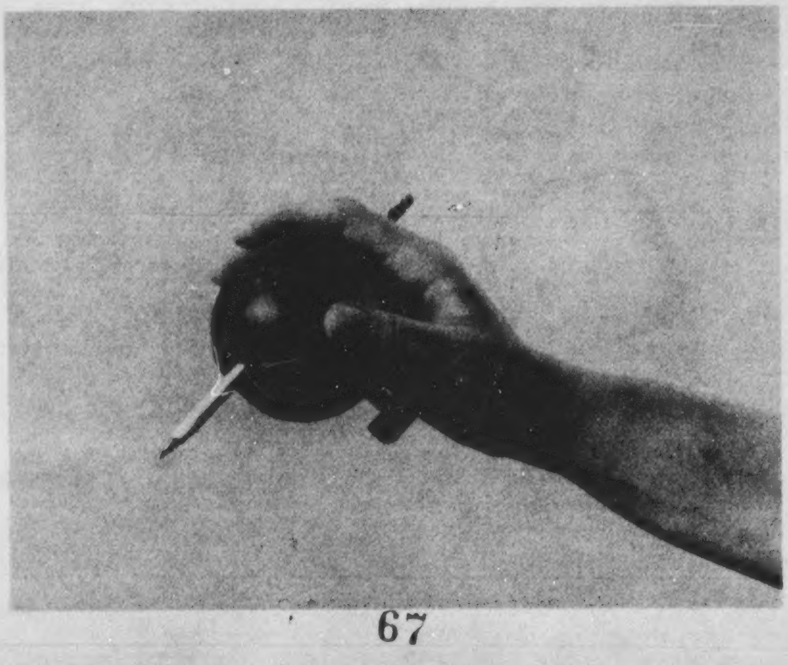
HOLDER FOR PENCIL, TOOTHBRUSH, UTENSIL, ETC.

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMMUNICATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Arthwriter
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $9.15
WEIGHT: 2 ounces
SIZE: 3 inch diameter ball with
: 0.75 inch hole through center
COLOR: blue

DESCRIPTION:
a) light weight plastic ball (one end is flattened to prevent rolling)
b) a side screw with a 1 inch wide flipper type HEAD intersects the large hole to clamp utensil in ball
c) the ball is best gripped with the screw HEAD between the thumb and forefinger
d) helpful to people with limited gripping strength



TELEPHONE/DOORBELL RING INDICATOR

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMMUNICATION
3: HEARING

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Telephone Master Ring Indicator
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: American Communications Corporation
ADDRESS: 180 Roberts Street
: East Hartford, CT 06108

DISTRIBUTOR:

NAME:	A.P. Mynders & Assoc.	Hearing Services
ADDRESS:	220 S. Sixteenth Street	3512 Trindle Road
:	Philadelphia, PA 19103	Camp Hill. PA 17011
TELEPHONE NUMBER:	(215) 735-5675	(717) 561-5678
CONTACT PERSON:	Joel Mynders	Wanda F. Beall, M.S.

NAME: Allegheny Hearing Assoc., Inc.
ADDRESS: 5080 Jenkins Arcade
: Pittsburgh, PA 15222
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (412) 281-8847
CONTACT PERSON: Edward Lybarger

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $60.00 (approximate)
WEIGHT: 13 ounces
HEIGHT: 2 inches
WIDTH: 3 inches
LENGTH: 4 inches
ELECTRICAL INFO: plugs into standard outlet
COLOR: black box

DESCRIPTION:
a) attach suction cup from box to telephone or doorbell; plug lamp into box; plug box into outlet
b) lamp flashes when telephone or doorbell rings
c) works whether lamp is on or off

SOUND INDICATOR

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: COMMUNICATION
3: HEARING

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Baby Cry Light Indicator
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: American Communications Corporation
ADDRESS: 180 Roberts Street
: East Hartford, CT 06108
DISTRIBUTOR:

NAME:	A.P. Mynders & Assoc.	Hearing Services
ADDRESS:	220 S. Sixteenth Street	3512 Trindle Road
:	Philadelphia, PA 19103	Camp Hill. PA 17011
TELEPHONE NUMBER:	(215) 735-5675	(717) 561-5678
CONTACT PERSON:	Joel Mynders	Wanda F. Beall, M.S.

NAME: Allegheny Hearing Assoc., Inc.
ADDRESS: 5080 Jenkins Arcade
: Pittsburgh, PA 15222
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (412) 281-8847
CONTACT PERSON: Edward Lybarger

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $60.00 (approximate)
WEIGHT: 13 ounces
SIZE: transmitter and receiver same size
HEIGHT: 2 inches
WIDTH: 3 inches
LENGTH: 4 inches
ELECTRICAL INFO: plugs into standard outlet
COLOR: black box

DESCRIPTION:
a) transmitter has microphone to pick up sounds; receiver flashes lamp in any part of the house
b) may be used with more than one receiver to flash lamps in many parts of the house
c) works whether lamp is on or off

TELEVISION SOUND AMPLIFIER

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: HEARING

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Television Transmitter and Receiver
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Sennheiser Electronics Corporation
: IPAS International Corporation
ADDRESS: 1440 Broadway, Suite 2250
: New York, NY 10018
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (212) 944-5828
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $199.00 transmitter (8 AH 8014)
: $139.00 headset receiver (8 AH 8015)
: $129.00 hearing aid receiver (8 AH 8016)
ELECTRICAL INFO: transmitter plugs into outlet
CORD LENGTH: 5.5 feet (transmitter)

DESCRIPTION:
a) transmitter - place on top of television with microphonein front of TV speaker; transmits sound up to 30 feet in frontal direction; turns off automatically with TV set
b) headset receiver - control fits under chin with foam ear tips at end of ear pieces; on-off/volume control switch; rechargeable battery included
c) hearing aid receiver - can be used only with behind the ear or eyeglass style hearing aid with telephone coil switch; induction loop is hung behind the ear next to the hearing aid; rechargeable battery included
d) any number of receivers can be used with one transmitter
e) extra rechargeable battery (8 AH 8017) - $18.95; overnight charge provides 5 hours of listening

TELEVISION SOUND AMPLIFIER FOR HEARING AIDS

CLASSIFICATION 1: COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: HEARING

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Audio-Input
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Danavox
ADDRESS: 4550 West 77th Street
: Minneapolis, MN 55435
DISTRIBUTOR:

NAME:	A.P. Mynders & Assoc.	Hearing Services
ADDRESS:	220 S. Sixteenth Street	3512 Trindle Road
:	Philadelphia, PA 19103	Camp Hill. PA 17011
TELEPHONE NUMBER:	(215) 735-5675	(717) 561-5678
CONTACT PERSON:	Joel Mynders	Wanda F. Beall, M.S.

NAME: Allegheny Hearing Assoc., Inc.
ADDRESS: 5080 Jenkins Arcade
: Pittsburgh, PA 15222
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (412) 281-8847
CONTACT PERSON: Edward Lybarger

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $25.00 (approximate)
ELECTRICAL INFO: cable plugs into earphone jack on TV

DESCRIPTION:
a) puts sound from TV directly at the hearing aid
b) cable runs from TV earphone jack to behind the ear or body type hearing aid
c) cable plugs into special adaptor for the hearing aid
d) several models available, depending on the type of hearing aid

FOOD INDUSTRY

This section refers to some product lines that accommodate the dietary restrictions that may be placed on a relatively large proportion of our elderly population. This in no way makes recommendations to the individual dietary requirements of your constituency. It is important to recognize that, although many elderly require low salt and low sugar diets, there are a substantial number who may in fact require the opposite. In all cases, the appropriately informed individual, the consulting physician or dietician should be contacted. It should also be recognized that there is a paucity of information concerning the dietary needs of the elderly.

SOUPS WITH LOW SALT

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: DIETARY NEEDS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Campbell's Low Sodium Soups
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Campbell Inst. of Research and Technology
ADDRESS: Camden, NJ 08011
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 964-4000, ext 2033
CONTACT PERSON: Dr. Chor-san Khoo

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $0.39 (7.25 ounces)
: $0.39-$0.79 (10.75 ounces)
SIZE: 7.25 and 10.75 ounce cans
COLOR: red and white can with yellow oval insert
: on label (7.25 ounce size)
COLOR: red and white can with green oval insert
: on label (10.75 ounce size)

DESCRIPTION:
a) varieties of soups that have no salt added in processing
b) 7.25 ounces - vegetable beef, tomato, green pea
10.75 ounces - chicken with noodles, chunky beef
and mushroom, corn, chunky chicken vegetable, split
pea, tomato with tomato pieces, chunky vegetable
c) all soups in ready to serve sizes contain 30-100 mg sodium
d) available in supermarkets with "diet section"

FRUIT WITHOUT SUGAR (CANNED)

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: DIETARY NEEDS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Libby's Lite
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Libby, McNeil & Libby, Inc.
ADDRESS: Chicago, IL 60604

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $.87 (varies)
SIZE: 16 ounce can

DESCRIPTION:
a) fruits canned without sugar
b) approximately 60 calories per 1/2 cup serving
c) available in canned fruit section of supermarkets

FRUIT WITHOUT SUGAR (CANNED)

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: DIETARY NEEDS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Diet Delight Canned Fruit
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: California Canners, District Office
ADDRESS: 1 University Plaza
: Hackensack, NJ 07601
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 487-0750

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $0.57-$0.97
SIZE: 8 and 16 ounce cans

DESCRIPTION:
a) fruits canned without sugar
b) available in supermarkets with "diet section"

VEGETABLES WITH REDUCED SALT (CANNED)

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: DIETARY NEEDS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Diet Delight Canned Vegetables
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: California Canners, District Office
ADDRESS: 1 University Plaza
: Hackensack, NJ 07601
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 487-0750

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $0.45
SIZE: 8 ounce cans

DESCRIPTION:
a) sodium content in vegetables is reduced by 50%
b) peas, corn, green beans
b) available in supermarkets with "diet section"

BREAKFAST FOODS WITHOUT CHOLESTEROL

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: DIETARY NEEDS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Morning Star Farms Breakfast Foods
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Miles Laboratories, District Office
ADDRESS: 510 Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 204
: Fort Washington, PA 19034
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 623-2990

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $1.11 (Scramblers)
: $1.47 (sausage links)
: $1.45 (bacon)
SIZE: 8 ounces (Scramblers)
: 10 links (sausage)
: 5.25 ounces (bacon)

DESCRIPTION:
a) bacon, sausage made with soy protein - contain no saturated fats
b) a synthetic egg product contains no cholesterol (Scramblers)
c) available in freezer section of supermarkets.

ITEMS USED IN FOOD PREPARATION

This section contains products that addressed themselves to physiological limitations that may impede the preparation of foods.

manual dexterity - specially adapted cutting boards
holder for milk cartons
items for use with one hand
adaptations of eating utensils

CUTTING BOARD FOR FOOD

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Handy Helper
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $11.50
HEIGHT: 5 inches
WIDTH: 7 inches
LENGTH: 14 inches
COLOR: maple

DESCRIPTION:
a) laminated hardwood with suction cups on bottom to anchor board to counter
b) raised edges on corner to hold bread for spreading with one hand
c) stainless steel nails hold vegetable and fruit for peeling and slicing; hold meat for carving

CUTTING BOARD KIT

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Paring Board Kit
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 942-1109
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $3.95

DESCRIPTION:
a) kit includes-plastic corner guard, two stainless steel "holding" nails, four rubber suction cup feet and wood screws to attach suction cup feet
b) holding nails protrude on work surface to hold food for easier cutting and slicing
c) suction feet keep board steady

DINNERWARE, NON-SKID

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Non-Skid Dinnerware
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 964-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $5.25 - 10 inch diameter plate
: 4.20 - 8 inch diameter plate
: 3.60 - 5.25 inch deep bowl
: 4.95 - 8.13 inch deep serving dish
: 3.60 - 9 ounce drinking cup w/ handle
: 3.60 - 14 ounce tumbler
: 3.45 - 2.5 inch diameter x 3.88 inch high
: salt-pepper-spice shaker
COLOR: white with black and red trim

DESCRIPTION:
a) molded melamine; dishwasher safe
b) soft, non-skid rings on the bottom prevent sliding even on a 25 degree incline

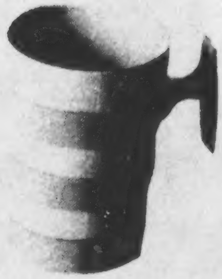
MUG WITH T-SHAPED HANDLE

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Easy-Grip Mug
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: 2/$2.50; 4/$4.50
SIZE: 11 ounce capacity
HEIGHT: 4 inches
COLOR: assorted

DESCRIPTION:
a) heat resistant handle is shaped like a "T" with the long end of the "T" attached to the side of the mug
b) non-tip base (2.63 inches high)
c) plastic



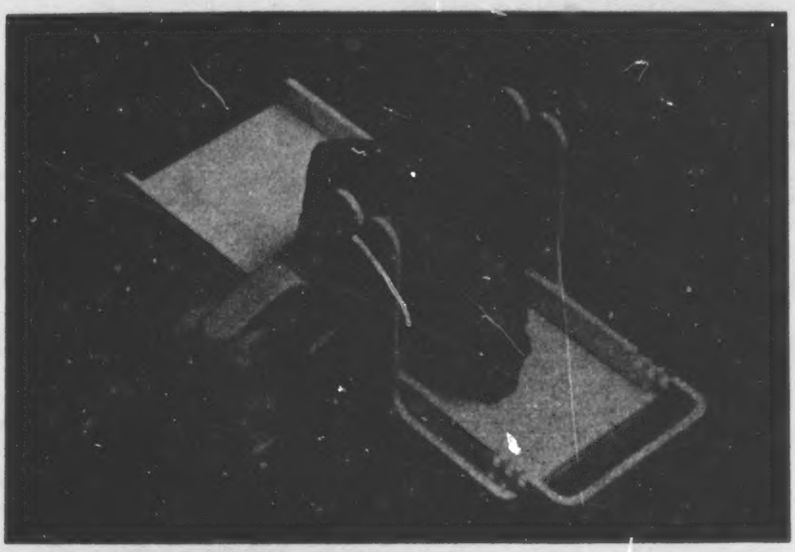
KNIFE (KITCHEN) WITH SAW-TYPE HANDLE

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Slicing Knife
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $12.95 (serrated blade)
: $12.50 (straight blade)
LENGTH: 13.5 inches
COLOR: yellow handle

DESCRIPTION:
a) stainless steel blade; dishwasher safe
b) polypropylene handle provides even distribution of hand pressure
c) knife with plastic board and holder for cutting uniform slices of bread or meat - $27.55



KNIFE WITH CURVED BLADE

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Rocker Knife
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500(for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $7.95
LENGTH: 6 inch blade; 4.5 inch handle

DESCRIPTION:
a) curved blade aids in cutting meat with only one hand by a rocking motion
b) carbon steel blade with maple handle

KNIFE WITH CURVED BLADE

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: One-Hand Butcher Knife
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $8.00
LENGTH: 6 inch curved blade; 4.5 inch handle

DESCRIPTION:
a) rocking motion permits cutting meat and vegetables with one hand
b) steel blade; hardwood handle

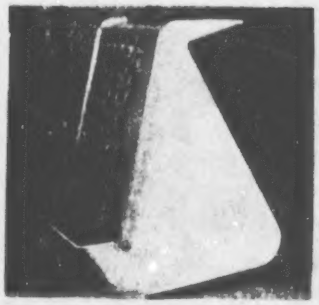
FOOD GRATER WITH SUCTION FEET

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Grater With Suction Feet
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 942-1190
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $7.95
SIZE: holds approximately 2 cups grated food

DESCRIPTION:
a) grater with bin for grated food
b) suction feet hold grater in place for one hand use
c) includes reversible plastic grating plate



PITCHER FOR MIXING

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: One-Hand Mixer Pitcher
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 942-1190
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $2.50
SIZE: 2 quarts

DESCRIPTION:
a) plastic decanter with a mixer lid
b) push down on handle on lid to mix

HOLDER FOR MILK CARTON

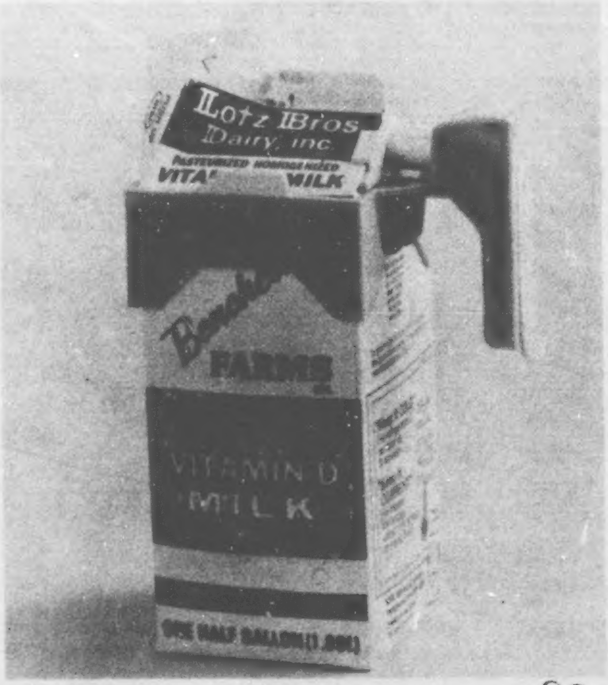
CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Milk Carton Holder
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 964-0500
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $7.50
WEIGHT: 4 ounces
WIDTH: 4.13 inches
DEPTH: 4.0 inches
LENGTH: 6.25 inches
COLOR: beige

DESCRIPTION:

a) opens and holds to pour standard half gallon 3.25 inch square drink cartons with one hand
b) dishwasher safe plastic
c) holder slips over carton and is held in place by the lever handle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Dairy, inc.
VITA
MILK
FARMS
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MILK
ONE HALF GALLON (1.89L)

UTENSILS WITH BUILT-UP HANDLES

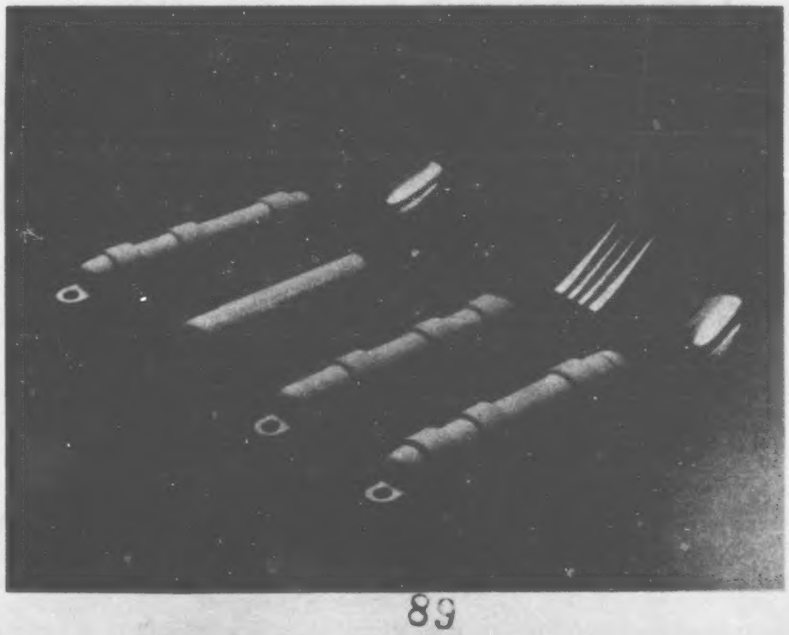
CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Ableware Built-Up Cutlery
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $15.80 set
WEIGHT: handle weight can be adjusted
SIZE: approximately 1.0 inch diameter
LENGTH: 4.5 inch handle
COLOR: white, yellow

DESCRIPTION:

a) includes fork, knife, teaspoon and soup spoon (can be purchased separately)
b) handles have three movable grip rings (also removable)
c) knife had bicycle-type handle, not adjustable
d) also available in left and right angle cutlery (fork and spoon only - $4.95 each)
e) foam rubber adapter fits over handle to increase grip diameter to approximately 2 inches - $2.65



UTENSILS WITH BUILT-UP HANDLES

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Easy-Grip Dining Utensils
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $15.35 set
WEIGHT: 1 lb., 3 oz. (shipping)
SIZE: approximately 1 inch diameter handle
COLOR: white

DESCRIPTION:
a) includes fork, knife, teaspoon and soup spoon (can be purchased separately)
b) stainless steel utensils with plastic handles
c) handles have grip rings (not movable or removable)
d) cutlery with movable and removalbe grip rings and foam rubber adapters available from Maddak, Inc.
e) available through any Sears Catalog Store

UTENSILS WITH BUILT-UP HANDLES

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Soft Built-Up Utensils for Eating
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 323-7305
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $10.75 set
SIZE: 1.5 inch diameter handle

DESCRIPTION:
a) includes knife, fork, teaspoon, soup spoon
(can be purchased separately)
b) stainless steel utensils have foam padded handle
c) foam is closed cell - will not absorb moisture

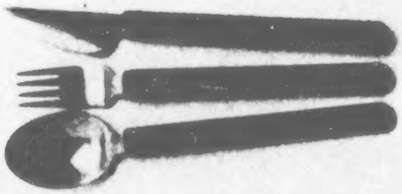
UTENSILS WITH BUILT-UP HANDLES

CLASSIFICATION 1: FOOD INDUSTRY
2: FOOD AND FOOD PREPARATION
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Featherweight Built-Up Handle Utensils
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 323-7305
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $27.95 set
WEIGHT: 1.5 ounces each

DESCRIPTION:
a) includes knife, fork, teaspoon (larger than usual) (can be purchased separately)
b) stainless steel with polycarbonate handles
c) contemporary style utensils



HEALTH AND SAFETY

Listed here are products designed to provide ease and safety in personal hygiene, as well as, items which facilitate daily cleaning chores, given certain physiological limitations.

mobility - grab bars in bathroom, elevated toilet seats
manual dexterity - adapted grooming aids
upper extremity weakness - reachers

BATHROOM GRAB BARS (STRAIGHT)

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Grab Bars for Bathroom (straight)
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: 12 inches-$19.00; 16-$19.85; 18-$20.60;
: 24-$21.10; 32-$22.65
SIZE: bar diameter-1.25 in.; flange-2.75 in.;
: clearance between bar and wall-2 inches
LENGTH: 12, 16, 18, 24, and 32 inches
COLOR: yellow, green, brown

DESCRIPTION:
a) all plastic construction, pre-assembled, ready to install on wall
b) ribbed rails for better grip
c) flanges supplied with screw (3 each) and anchors
d) laboratory tested for 500 lb. load

BATHROOM GRAB BARS (ANGLED)

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Grab Bars for Bathroom (angled)
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $42.00
SIZE: bar diameter-1.25 inches; flange-2.75 inches;
: clearance between bar and wall - 2 inches
LENGTH: 32 inch vertical bar attached to
: 16 inch horizontal bar
COLOR: yellow, green, brown

DESCRIPTION:
a) angled right or left
b) all plastic construction, pre-assembled, ready to install on wall
c) ribbed rails for better grip
d) flanges are supplied with screws (3 each) and anchors
e) laboratory tested for 500 lb. load

BATHTUB GUARD RAILS

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Bathtub Guard Rails
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $23.99 (low rail-model 8 AH 1178)
: $25.99 (high rail-model 8 AH 1179)
WEIGHT: 5.5 lbs. (low rail, shipping);
: 6.75 lbs. (high rail, shipping)
HEIGHT: 7 inches (low); 17 inches (high)
WIDTH: 18 inches (low); 12 inches (high)
COLOR: chrome-plated tubular steel

DESCRIPTION:
a) fits tub sides 3.75 inches to 6.25 inches wide
b) sent assembled, installation wrench included
c) contact points at tub are covered with rubber
d) available through any Sears Catalog Store

BATHTUB CADDY

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Rail Caddy
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $7.00
HEIGHT: 7 inches
DEPTH: 4.5 inches
LENGTH: 13 inches
COLOR: chrome-plated

DESCRIPTION:
a) for use with Sears high rail bathtub guard rail model 8 AH 1179
b) holds shampoo, soap, etc.; water drips into tub
c) caddy and high rail ordered together - 8 AH 1198 - $29.98
d) available through any Sears Catalog Store

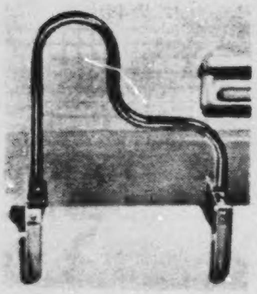
BATHTUB GRAB BAR

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Hi-Lo Tub Bar
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $42.00
HEIGHT: 18 inches (high part); 6 inches (low part)
LENGTH: 17 inches
COLOR: aluminum

DESCRIPTION:
a) high portion provides grip while standing or getting into tub; lower portion aids in sitting or rising
b) long enough for a two-handed grip
c) fits bathtub sides 5.0 to 7.5 inches; clamps securely to tub
d) no-mar protection; rust-proof
e) similiar product available at Sears-$24.99



BATHTUB GRAB BAR

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Bi-Level Rail for Bathtub
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $24.99
HEIGHT: 15 inches (high portion)
LENGTH: 17 inches
COLOR: aluminum

DESCRIPTION:
a) high portion provides grip while standing or getting into tub; lower portion aids in sitting or rising
b) long enough for a two-handed grip
c) fits bathtub sides 3.75 to 6.25 inches;
d) rubber contact points; installation wrench included
e) available through any Sears Catalog Store

SHOWER FOR TUB FAUCET

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: HYGIENE
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Portable Wall and Hand Shower
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Selfix, Inc.
ADDRESS: 4501 W. 47th Street
: Chicago, IL 60632

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $8.00 (discount price)
LENGTH: 5 foot hose
COLOR: white

DESCRIPTION:

a) shower head can be put anywhere on the wall by a suction lock wall bracket which fastens to the wall by the lever action of the bracket itself
b) spray head inserts into the bracket with a 5 foot vinyl hose and a Universal Adapter which attaches to most tub faucets
c) an order blank is supplied for ordering adapters for unusual tub faucets
d) when not in use, the wall bracket holds both the head and adapter
e) similiar model available from Fred Sammons, Inc., #BK-6260, $8.95; see a list of dealers in Appendix A
f) available in department, discount and variety

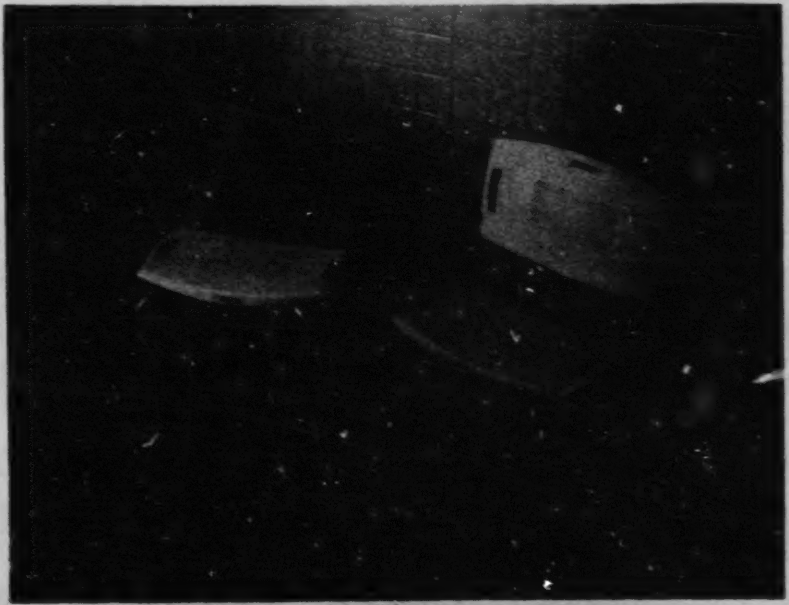
BENCH FOR SHOWER AND BATHROOM

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: HYGIENE
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Shower and Bathroom Bench (w/wo backrest)
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $30.00 (bench); $46.50 (with backrest)
WEIGHT: 6 lbs. (shipping);
: 10 lbs. (shipping, with backrest)
HEIGHT: 13.5 inches; 17.5 inches (with backrest)
WIDTH: 12 inches (bench); 12 inches (backrest)
LENGTH: 20 inches (bench); 20 inches (backrest)
COLOR: white

DESCRIPTION:
a) curved seat is made of plastic with a textured anti-slip top surface; drain hole pattern on seat; lift handles recessed at each side
b) frame and legs are 1 inch diameter aluminum
c) adjustable legs have push-button operation
d) backrest is of the same design as the seat and is mounted on two aluminum supports attached to the leg frame



BATHTUB CHAIR

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: HYGIENE
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Elevated Tub Chair (8 AH 1170)
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $59.99
WEIGHT: 10.5 pounds (shipping)
SIZE: seat - 18 inches wide; 26 inches long
HEIGHT: seat adjusts from 14.5 to 18 inches
: overall adjusts from 29.5 to 33 inches
: backrest adjusts 11 to 15 inches from seat
COLOR: white with aluminum legs

DESCRIPTION:
a) adjusts to fit over side of standard tub
b) person sits on seat and lifts legs into tub one at a time
c) outside legs slightly higher so water runs off into the tub
d) legs are rubber tipped
e) available through any Sears Catalog Store

BATH LIFT

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: HYGIENE
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Bath Lift (model F 8 AH 1069N)
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $429.99
WEIGHT: 23 lbs. (shipping)
HEIGHT: 26 inches
WIDTH: 18 inches
DEPTH: 23 inchess
COLOR: off white

DESCRIPTION:
a) contoured plastic chair swivels for entering and exiting tub
b) chair is attached to base that has four suction feet
c) chair elevates from 3 to 18 inches
d) operates on normal water pressure from tub faucet
e) faucet with by-pass (included) replaces existing tub faucet
f) ordering info.-pay motor carrier charges from Chicago
factory; no COD's
g) can be ordered through any Sears Catalog Store

TOILET SEAT, ELEVATED

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: HYGIENE
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Elevated Contoured Toilet Seat (8 AH 1186)
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $16.99
WEIGHT: 3 lbs. (shipping)
HEIGHT: 4 inches
COLOR: white

DESCRIPTION:
a) donut shaped toilet seat raises seating level of toilet 4 inches
b) placed on toilet bowl and removed without tools or clamps
c) available through any Sears Catalog Store

TOILET SEAT, ELEVATED

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: HYGIENE
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Tall-ette Toilet Seat
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $18.00
WEIGHT: 3 pounds
HEIGHT: 4 inches
SIZE: fits standard toilet bowls
COLOR: white

DESCRIPTION:
a) donut shaped toilet seat raises seating level of the toilet 4 inches
b) placed directly on toilet bowl and removed without tools or clamps
c) made of polyethylene; cleaned with detergents, disinfectants or alcohol
d) gray carrying case with hand strap and zipper - $11.55
e) wall hanger of epoxy coated steel wire - $15.75

TOILET GUARDS RAILS

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: HYGIENE
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Toilet Guards Rails
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Sears Catalog Merchandise Distribution Center
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $21.99
WEIGHT: 5 pounds, 11 ounces (shipping)
COLOR: chrome-plated

DESCRIPTION:
a) attachable on one or both sides of toilet at toilet seat bolts; fits all toilets
b) tubular steel, black plastic armrests and rubber tipped legs
c) shipped unassembled
d) available through any Sears Catalog Store

TOILET GUARDS RAILS

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: HYGIENE
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Toilet Safety Frame
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $34.50
WEIGHT: 6 pounds (shipping)
HEIGHT: 25.5 - 26.75 inches (adjustable arm height)
WIDTH: 18.5 inches (distance between arms)
DEPTH: 19.0 inches (front to back)
COLOR: chrome-plated

DESCRIPTION:
a) remove seat, add frame, reassemble seat and attach seat and frame with same bolts
b) tubular steel, black plastic armrests and rubber tipped legs
c) does not interfer with normal use of toilet

TOILET SEAT, ELEVATED, WITH SAFETY BARS

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: HYGIENE
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Tall-ette with Safety Bars
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $59.00
WEIGHT: 13 pounds (shipping)
HEIGHT: 28 inches (bars)
WIDTH: 22.5 inches (bars)
DEPTH: 16 inches (bars)
COLOR: white (toilet seat); aluminum (safety bars)

DESCRIPTION:

a) bars straddle toilet and stand on the floor with the seat directly on the bowl
b) tubular safety bars adjust to any toilet height and provide assistance when arising from the toilet
c) polyethylene toilet seat; plastic armrests; rubber tips on legs
d) shipped unassembled

SLEEP AID

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: PHYSICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Sleep-Aid Bed Wedge
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $21.45 (7 inches high)
: $27.00 (12 inches high)
HEIGHT: 7 inches; 12 inches
WIDTH: 27 inches
LENGTH: 27 inches
COLOR: white

DESCRIPTION:
a) foam bed wedge for elevation of back, head and shoulders or legs
b) zippered removable, sanitized, washable cover is plastic coated white knit nylon

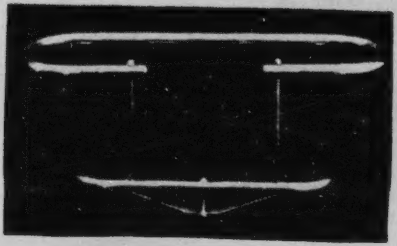
BLANKET SUPPORT

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: PHYSICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Blanket Support
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $18.50
HEIGHT: adjustable to 14 inches
WIDTH: 21 inches
COLOR: stainless steel

DESCRIPTION:
a) keeps sheets and blankets from touching feet
b) long under mattress arms provide stability
c) lowers when not in use



PERSONAL GROOMING AIDS

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: HYGIENE
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Built-Up Grooming Aids
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $6.00 (nail file)
: $7.95 (afro comb)
: $6.30 (comb)
: $6.50 (brush)
: $6.00 (toothbrush)
COLOR: various with white handles

DESCRIPTION:
a) handles are bicycle-type, made of resilient vinyl
b) usable in right or left hand

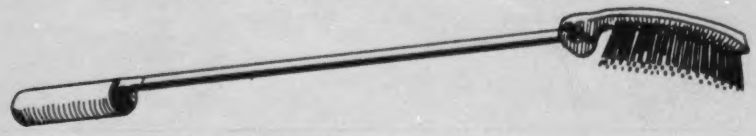
HAIR BRUSH WITH LONG HANDLE

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: HYGIENE
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Long Handled Hair Brush
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $10.50
LENGTH: 25 inches (brush and handle)

DESCRIPTION:
a) aluminum shaft adjustable for convenient position
b) helps extend reach when motion is limited or painful
c) long handled comb - $8.25



MIRROR, WITH GOOSENECK EXTENSION

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: HYGIENE
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Inspection Mirror
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 323-7305 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $17.95
SIZE: 6 x 4 inch mirror
LENGTH: 22 inches (overall)
COLOR: yellow cover on back of mirror

DESCRIPTION:
a) flexible gooseneck mirror stays in position when bent
b) plastic hand grip with cuff for easier holding

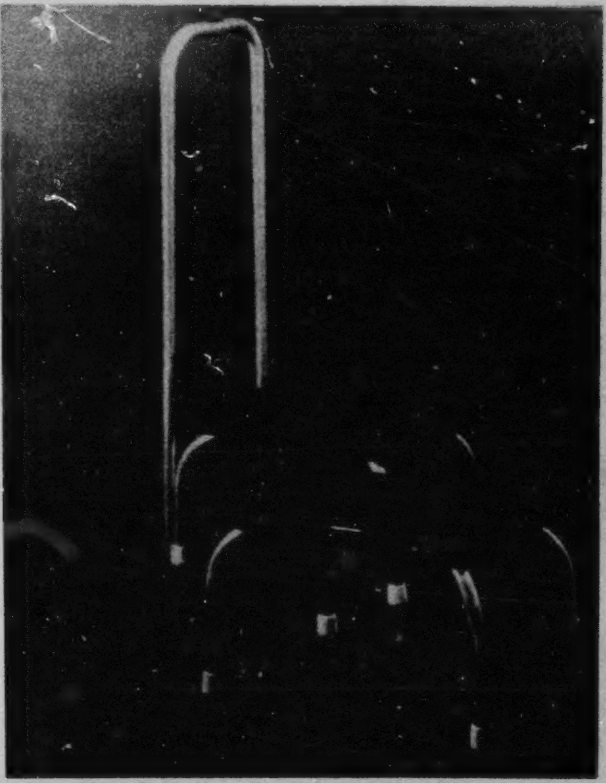
FOOT STOOL WITH HANDRAIL

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: PHYSICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Handrail Foot Stool
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $28.50
WEIGHT: 7 pounds (shipping)
SIZE: 11 x 16 inches (stool top)
: 12.5 x 37.5 inches (rail)
HEIGHT: 10.5 inches (stool, from floor)
COLOR: aluminum with black stool top

DESCRIPTION:
a) handrail is separate and attached with 4 bolts (supplied)
b) stool has molded plastic top; tubular legs are 1 inch diameter with rubber end caps
c) may also be used as a foot rest or a step to gain additional height



CANE SEAT

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Cane Seat
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $32.75
WEIGHT: 2 pounds
SIZE: 8.5 inches diameter (seat)
: 10.0 x 12.5 inches (tripod base, opened)
HEIGHT: 35.0 inches (cane)
: 20.0 inches (seat)
COLOR: aluminum with black seat

DESCRIPTION:
a) walking cane converts to seat
b) rust-proof anodized aluminum tubing; non-slip tips
c) vinyl covered seat

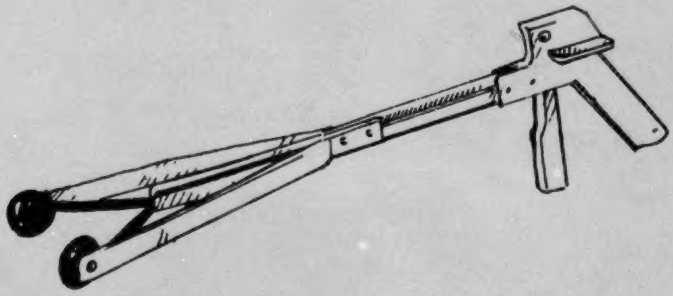
REACHER

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: UPPER EXTREMITY WEAKNESS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Rubber-Grip Reacher
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 323-7305
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $18.95
WEIGHT: 7 ounces
LENGTH: 31 inches
COLOR: aluminum with colored handle

DESCRIPTION:
a) circular rubber tips can pick up tiny objects or objects weighing up to 2 pounds
b) handle has pistol grip action; requires gripping to hold object



REACHER

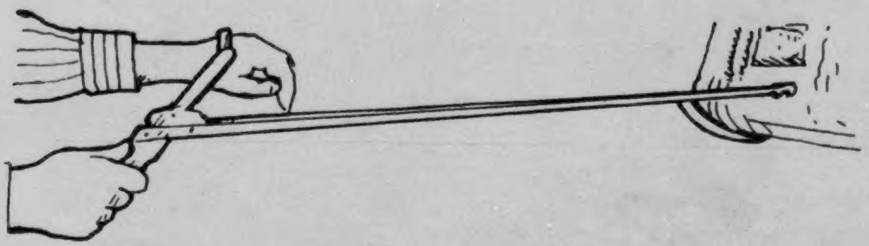
CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: UPPER EXTREMITY WEAKNESS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: BE OK Retainer Reacher
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 323-7305
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $19.95
WEIGHT: 8 ounces
LENGTH: 27 inches

DESCRIPTION:

a) has a lever action instead of a pistol grip to hold the object
b) reacher is held with one hand and lever is pushed with the other hand or wrist
c) object is held until lever is released



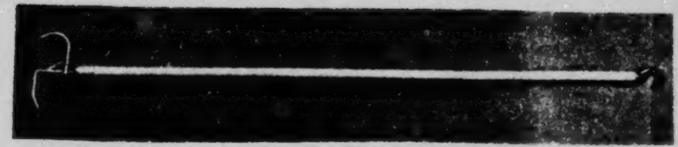
REACHER AND DRESSING STICK

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: UPPER EXTREMITY WEAKNESS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Economy Reacher and Dressing Stick
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 323-7305
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $1.95
LENGTH: 27 inches

DESCRIPTION:
a) wooden stick with plastic coated hook and pusher at one end and small "c" hook at the other end
b) small hook helps pull zippers or tuck shirts
c) larger pusher helps remove clothes



FOAM TUBING

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Cylindrical Foam Padding
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 323-7305
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $1.80
SIZE: 1.38 inch outside diameter; .38 inch hole
LENGTH: 1 yard
COLOR: black

DESCRIPTION:
a) provides extra gripping area to anything with a handle (eating utensils, combs, tools, etc.)
b) closed cell foam will not absorb moisture
c) cut to size needed

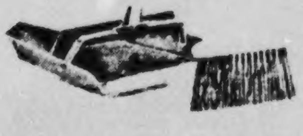
DUST PAN AND BROOM WITH LONG HANDLES

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: HOME MAINTENANCE
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: No-Stoop Pick-Up
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $19.00 (dust pan and broom)
: $15.50 (dust pan only)
LENGTH: 26 inches (dust pan
: 30 inches (broom)
COLOR: black enamel metal dust pan

DESCRIPTION:
a) dust pan stays open for one hand use; folds up to trap dust
b) dust pan can be used with standard broom



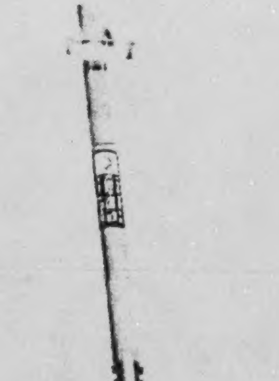
MOP

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: HOME MAINTENANCE
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Easy-Wring Mop
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $11.00 (mop); $3.75 (refill sponge)
WIDTH: 8.5 inches (sponge)
LENGTH: 47 inches (mop)

DESCRIPTION:
a) mop without bending; rollers do the wringing
b) remote control lever is 20 inches above the floor
c) one-hand operation with handle under the arm
d) rubber sponge; rust-proof steel parts



EVALUATION SERVICE FOR THE HOME

CLASSIFICATION 1: HEALTH AND SAFETY
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: PHYSICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Home Evaluation Service
PROVIDER:
NAME: Abbey Medical Supply
ADDRESS: 707 North Easton Road
: Willow Grove, PA 19090
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 657-1780
CONTACT PERSON: Toni Esposito, RN

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: free

DESCRIPTION:
a) evaluation of client needs from exiting car to fulfilling all households duties and chores
b) evaluation includes recommendations for products and/or home modifications to meet client's needs

HOME BUILDING/DESIGN

Design and modification of standard housing and household tools are presented in this section. Primarily these are products which enhance the ability of an elderly individual to function in their built environment, namely the home.

manual dexterity - lever door openers and locks
upper extremity weakness - adapted tool handles
alternative housing for the elderly

HOUSING, MODULAR

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: PHYSICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Elder Cottage
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Coastal Colony Corporation
ADDRESS: 44 North Cope Hill Drive
: Lititz, PA 17543
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (717) 665-5392 or 665-6761
CONTACT PERSON: Edward W. Guion

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $ 9,665.00 (14 ft. x 20 ft.)
: $14,525.00 (14 ft. x 24 ft.)
: $16,965.00 (one bedroom)
: $21,380.00 (two bedroom)
SIZE: 280 sq. ft. (14 x 20) Elder Room w/ kitchenette
: 336 sq. ft. (14 x 24) Efficiency Cottage with
: utility alcove
: 508 sq. ft. (with 10 x 14 bedroom)
: 702 sq. ft. (two bedroom cottage)
ELECTRICAL INFO: wiring - UL approved
COLOR: exterior - aluminum siding, stained wood,
: cedar shakes (extra)

DESCRIPTION:
a) factory built completely self contained small energy efficient living units
b) interior - 1/2 inch gypsum board or wood panelling; vinyl tile in kitchen, bath, utility; carpeting in living and bedrooms
c) assembled on site on pressure treated timbers in one day; easily relocated
d) can be added to existing house
e) manufactured in Pennsylvania; available in Eastern U.S.

FAUCET TURNER

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: HYGIENE
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Tap Turner
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $9.00
LENGTH: 7 inches (handle)
COLOR: red handle; white spokes

DESCRIPTION:
a) useful for faucets with four arm cross handles
b) handle is made a soft vinyl
c) can be left in place or removed without tools
d) increases leverage for persons to turn on water taps with conventional cross-head handles

FAUCETS WITH LEVERS FOR HANDLES

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: HYGIENE
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Lever Faucets
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Delta, Moen, Stanadyne (sample brand names)

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $34.00 (bath faucet, example)
: price varies according to manufacturer
: and style of faucet
COLOR: chrome

DESCRIPTION:

a) a lever instead of two knobs controls temperature and water flow
b) does not require grip strength to operate
c) kitchen faucets available with or without a spray and soap dispenser
d) Moen has a lever for wall mounted plumbing
e) Delta has a model for bathtub faucets
f) available in hardware, plumbing and variety stores

CUSHION FOR ELEVATED SEATING

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: High Seat Cushion
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $34.50
HEIGHT: 6 inches
DEPTH: 15 inches
LENGTH: 15 inches
COLOR: gold

DESCRIPTION:
a) supportive cushion which raises seating level
b) foam filled; covered with cotton upholstery
c) zippered along one side for removal of cover for cleaning
d) cloth carrying handle attached to side of cushion

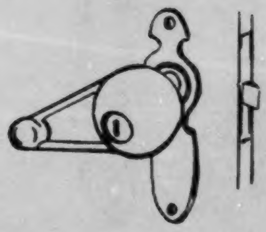
DOOR KNOB LEVER

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Door Knob Helper
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 912-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $3.50; 2/$6.25
LENGTH: 4.25 inches
COLOR: natural rubber

DESCRIPTION:
a) lever fits over standard door knob
b) can be pushed down with arm, elbow, hip or stick
c) keyhole is accessible



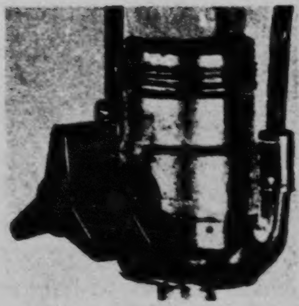
LAMP SWITCH EXTENSION LEVER

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Lamp Switch Extension Lever
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 942-1190
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $1.95

DESCRIPTION:
a) fits lamps with screw-type switch
b) three spokes enable user to turn switch
c) fits standard lamp switch threads



LOCK, DEADBOLT

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: ASSA Apartment Lock
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: ASSA-Stenman AB
ADDRESS: 1461 Lunt Avenue
: Elk Grove Village, IL 60007
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Town Supply Company
ADDRESS: Phoenixville, PA
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 935-1505
CONTACT PERSON: Ted Dzedzy

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $146.00 plus installation (list price)
SIZE: 5 inch lever handle
COLOR: stainless steel handle

DESCRIPTION:
a) one lever acts and handle and lock
b) three lever postions
    1) horizontally for latchbolt action
    2) down for opening door
    3) up for deadbolt action
c) door can be unlocked and opened in one motion

KEY HOLDER

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Key Cassette
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: ASSA-Stenman AB
ADDRESS: 1461 Lunt Avenue
: Elk Grove Village, IL 60007
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Town Supply Company
ADDRESS: Phoenixville, PA
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 935-1505
CONTACT PERSON: Ted Dzedzy

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $2.00
WIDTH: 1.5 inches
LENGTH: 3.0 inches
COLOR: black, blue, yellow

DESCRIPTION:
a) plastic rectangle fits over key bow for easier gripping
b) colors allow for easier identification of keys

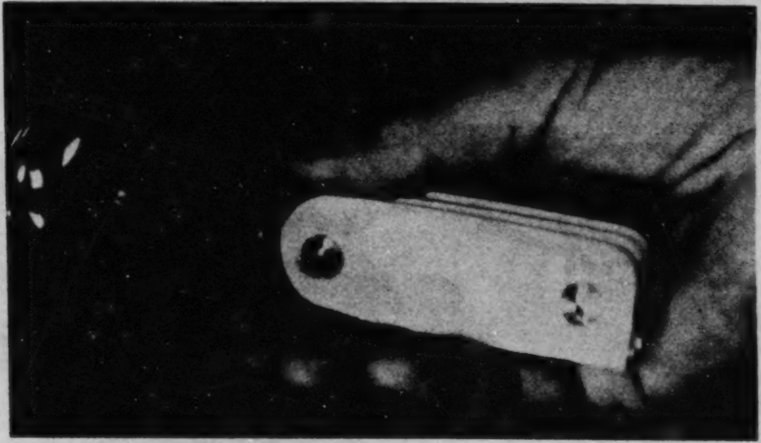
KEY HOLDER

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Key Holder
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $4.80
WIDTH: 1 inch
DEPTH: .63 inches
LENGTH: 3 inches
COLOR: white

DESCRIPTION:
a) made of three bars of stiff plastic with brass screws
b) holds four keys
c) gives extra leverage when turning key in lock



SCISSORS

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: HYGIENE
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Lightweight Scissors
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $9.00
WEIGHT: less than 2 ounces

DESCRIPTION:

a) stainless steel
b) comes with blade protector that doubles as a holder for one hand cutting
c) non-slip handles which are connected at handle ends so they open by themselves
d) squeezing with the right or left hand operates scissors

SCISSORS

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: HYGIENE
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Safety Tipped Scissors
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $7.50
WEIGHT: less than 2 ounces

DESCRIPTION:
a) stainless steel blades with blunt ends; will not snag embroidery materials
b) non-slip handles which open by themselves
c) squeezing with the right or left hand operates scissors

PLIERS

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: HOME MAINTENANCE
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Locking Pliers
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $14.75

DESCRIPTION:
a) lies flat to act as an "extra hand" and holds tiny objects (needles, pins, etc.)
b) can be used as non-locking hand-held pliers
c) non-slip handles which open by themselves

SCREW DRIVER WITH "BALL AND RATCHET" HANDLE

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: HOME MAINTENANCE
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Easy Driver
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Creative Tools, Inc.
ADDRESS: 309 County Street
: Bennington, VT 05201

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $6.00
SIZE: 2.25 inch diameter ball handle
COLOR: black and red handle

DESCRIPTION:
a) use the ball-shaped ratchet handle to tighten and loosen screws with one hand
b) shaft for regular and Phillips head screws
c) a set that includes shaft, Phillips, and sockets for nuts and bolts available from FashionAble - $29.75
d) available in hardware, discount and variety stores

SCREW DRIVER AND RATCHET SET

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: HOME MAINTENANCE
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Easy Driver Ratchet System
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $29.75
SIZE: 2.25 inch diameter ball handle
LENGTH: 4.25 inch shaft
COLOR: black and red handle

DESCRIPTION:
a) use the ball-shaped ratchet handle to tighten and loosen screws with one hand
b) shaft for regular and Phillips head screws
c) set includes shaft and Phillips screw driver bits; sockets for nuts and bolts; 2.5 inch shaft

NAIL STARTER

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: HOME MAINTENANCE
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Nailit Magnetic Nail Starter
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Miles Kimball (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: 41 W. Eighth Avenue
: Oshkosh, WI 54901

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $4.50
LENGTH: 7 inches

DESCRIPTION:
a) magnetic head with a "V" groove that holds nails
b) vinyl-covered handle

PRUNER

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: HOME MAINTENANCE
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Lightweight Pruner
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $9.50
WEIGHT: less than 2 ounces

DESCRIPTION:
a) for heavy shearing chores
b) stainless steel baldes
c) non-slip handles which open by themselves
d) squeezing with the right or left hand operates pruner

TOOL HANDLE EXTENSION

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: HOME MAINTENANCE
3: UPPER EXTREMITY WEAKNESS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Shovel Handle
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $27.00
WEIGHT: 1.25 pounds
LENGTH: 18.5 inches

DESCRIPTION:

a) swivel handle attaches to shovel handle near spade; fits any diameter shovel handle
b) handle stays upright when shovel is laid down or folds flat for storage

TOOL HANDLE EXTENSION

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: HOME MAINTENANCE
3: UPPER EXTREMITY WEAKNESS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Rake Handle
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $21.00
WEIGHT: 1.25 pounds
LENGTH: 19.0 inches

DESCRIPTION:
a) two-handed handle attaches to rake handle
b) permits user to stand erect when working
c) handle has two vinyl grips
d) useful for hoes, push brooms sponge mops

VINYL COATING FOR METAL HANDLES

CLASSIFICATION 1: HOME BUILDING/DESIGN
2: HOME MAINTENANCE
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Vikem Dip
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $7.50
SIZE: 13 liquid ounces
COLOR: red vinyl dip

DESCRIPTION:
a) use to add vinyl coating to tools, utensils, etc/
b) provides non-slip surface for easier gripping

RECREATION

Items in this section enhance the ability to participate in routine leisurely acitvities.

card playing - card shuffler
sewing - needle threader
reading - large print books

CARDS, PLAYING

CLASSIFICATION 1: RECREATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: VISION

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Playing Cards
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $1.25 (extra small)
: $2.50 (standard)
: $10.50 (extra large)
SIZE: 1.75 x 2.63 inches (extra small)
: 2.5 x 3.5 inches (standard)
: 4.5 x 7.0 inches (extra large)

DESCRIPTION:
a) extra small size useful for limited playing areas (bed tray)
b) standard size has large numerals and letters
c) extra large size has extra large numerals and letters

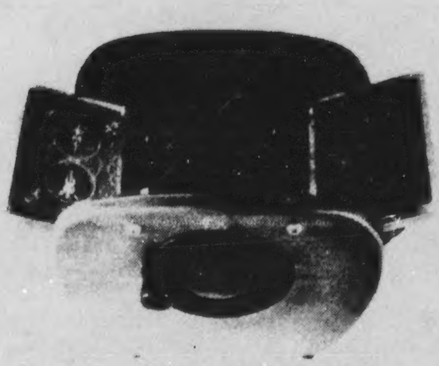
CARD SHUFFLER

CLASSIFICATION 1: RECREATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Card Shuffler
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $18.50
HEIGHT: 5 inches
WIDTH: 6 inches across

DESCRIPTION:
a) place half the cards on each shelf, turn knob and cards are alternately dropped to the bottom
b) made of heavy gauge steel
c) holds one to three decks



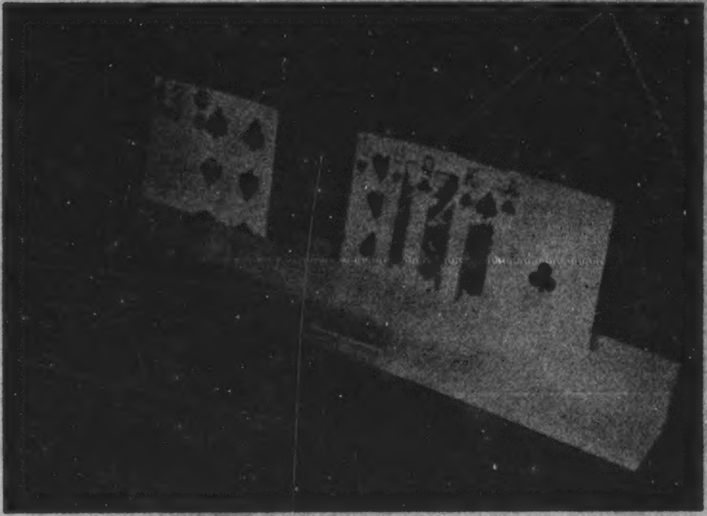
HOLDER FOR PLAYING CARDS

CLASSIFICATION 1: RECREATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Playing Card Holder
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $2.75 (for regular cards)
: $3.50 (for extra large cards)
HEIGHT: 1.38 inches
WIDTH: 2 inches
LENGTH: 10 inches (regular); 15 inches (extra large)
COLOR: white

DESCRIPTION:
a) 0.5 inch wide slot opening narrows down to .13 inches for easy entry and tighter holding area
b) plastic holder cleans easily and is lightweight, but stable



HOLDER FOR PLAYING CARDS

CLASSIFICATION 1: RECREATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Card Holder Discs
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 323-7305
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $4.95 (set of four)
SIZE: 3.0 inch diameter
COLOR: various

DESCRIPTION:
a) two discs, attached with spring in the middle, allows cards to be slipped between the discs and held securely

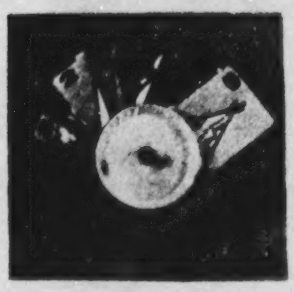
HOLDER FOR PLAYING CARDS

CLASSIFICATION 1: RECREATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Stand-Up Card Holder
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 323-7305
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $3.75
SIZE: 4.5 inch diameter base
: 3.0 inch diameter disk
COLOR: white disk

DESCRIPTION:
a) spring disk, perpendicular and attached to base, holds cards
b) stands free for one-handed use
c) heavy base made of formica over chipboard with with non-slip foam padding on bottom



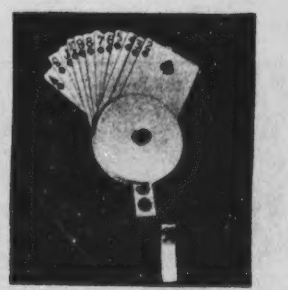
HOLDER FOR PLAYING CARDS

CLASSIFICATION 1: RECREATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: One-Hand Card Holder
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Fred Sammons, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Box 32
: Brookfield, IL 60513
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 323-7305
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $2.50
SIZE: 3.0 inch diameter
COLOR: white disc with aluminum clamp

DESCRIPTION:
a) spring loaded disc attached to flexible steel clamp that holds disc on the edge of a table



BOOKS WITH LARGE PRINT

CLASSIFICATION 1: RECREATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: VISION

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Large Print Books
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: District Library Centers
: County Libraries
: State Library
ADDRESS: local telephone book
CONTACT PERSON: Reference Desk

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: free

DESCRIPTION:
a) books with large print
b) a variety of services are available to those clients who have greatly diminished vision or other problems that make reading or holding a book difficult (contact your District Center for specific services provided in your area)
c) the State Library in Harrisburg supplies large print books to the District Library Centers

AUTOMATIC NEEDLE THREADER

CLASSIFICATION 1: RECREATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Automatic Needle Threader
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $1.75 for two

DESCRIPTION:
a) forces thread through the eye of the needle with a push of a button
b) fits average size sewing needles
c) instructions enclosed

TRANSPORTATION

Given the limitations imposed upon a number of elderly with regards to upper and lower extremity weakness or deficiencies and the importance of vehicular transportation in our society in order to perform daily tasks, modifications or adaptations to existing modes of transportation are listed in this section.

automobile - adaptations for braking, shifting, signaling
alternative motorized transportation

MIRROR, REARVIEW FOR CARS

CLASSIFICATION 1: TRANSPORTATION
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Wide Angle Mirror
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: FashionAble (direct mail order)
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08553
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $9.00
WIDTH: 2.75 inches
LENGTH: 13.75 inches

DESCRIPTION:
a) clips on to present rearview mirror
b) permits one to see with less head turing
c) permits broader rear view for driving
d) objects appear closer than they really are
e) shatter proof; no glare

CAR DOOR OPENER

CLASSIFICATION 1: TRANSPORTATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Car Door Opener
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Maddak, Inc. (see Appendix A)
ADDRESS: Pequannock, NJ 07440
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (201) 694-0500 (for information only)
CONTACT PERSON: Fred Joslyn

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $22.50
WEIGHT: 2 pounds (shipping)
LENGTH: 15.5 inches
COLOR: black with white handle

DESCRIPTION:
a) handle with U-shaped hook and lever at one end
b) will operate all types of car door handles, both inside and outside
c) solid steel with soft vinyl coating
d) vinyl bicycle handle

AUTOMOBILE FLAT TIRE INFLATOR

CLASSIFICATION 1: TRANSPORTATION
2: COMFORT AND SECURITY
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Fix a Flat
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Nationwide Industries, Inc.
ADDRESS: Bensalem, PA 19020

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $.89 - $1.11
SIZE: 12 ounces

DESCRIPTION:
a) aerosol can with nozzle that screws onto tire valve
b) tire will reseal and reinflate in a few minutes
c) use only for damage to treads; will not work if damage is to sidewalls or if tubeless tire is separated fromrim
d) available in automotive supply stores
e) flammable

fix a flat
fix a flat

AUTOMOBILE SHIFT LEVER FOR LEFT HAND

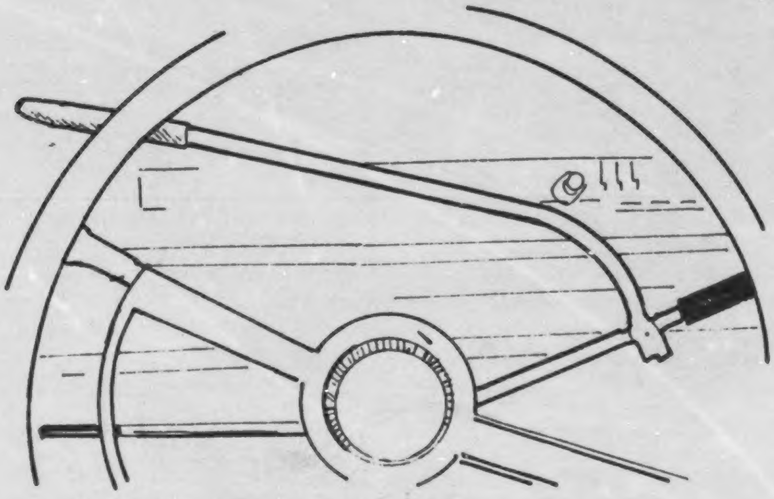
CLASSIFICATION 1: TRANSPORTATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Left-Hand Shift Lever
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Nelson Medical Products, Inc.
ADDRESS: 5690 Sarah Avenue
: Sarasota, FL 33583
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (813) 924-2058
CONTACT PERSON: Mrs. Nelson
DISTRIBUTOR:

NAME:	Scranton Surg. Supply	Penn Med Rehab Equip
ADDRESS:	850 Providence Road	3003 Broad Avenue
:	Scranton, PA 18508	Altoona, PA 16601

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $19.00
COLOR: chrome-plated

DESCRIPTION:
a) bar attaches to column shift lever and curves to the left of the steering column for left-hand use



AUTOMOBILE DIRECTIONAL SIGNAL FOR RIGHT HAND

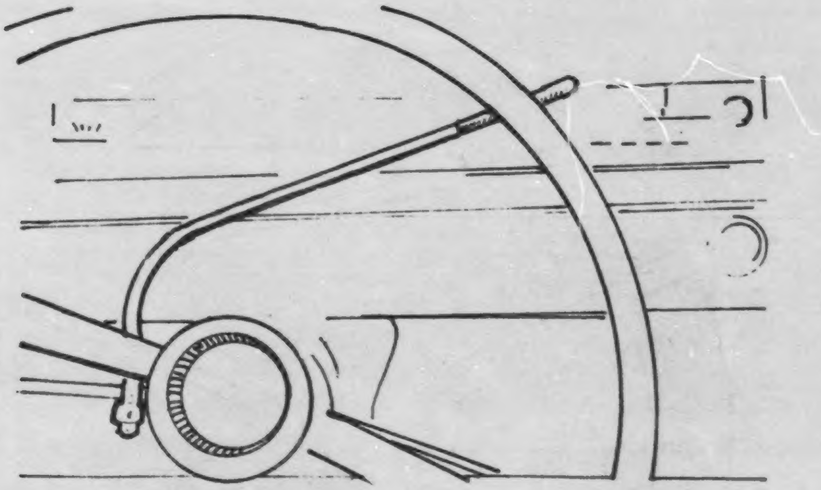
CLASSIFICATION 1: TRANSPORTATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Right-Hand Directional Signal Lever
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Nelson Medical Products, Inc.
ADDRESS: 5690 Sarah Avenue
: Sarasota, FL 33583
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (813) 924-2058
CONTACT PERSON: Mrs. Nelson
DISTRIBUTOR:

NAME:	Scranton Surg. Supply	Penn Med Rehab Equip
ADDRESS:	850 Providence Road	3003 Broad Avenue
:	Scranton, PA 18508	Altoona, PA 16601

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $17.00
COLOR: chrome-plated

DESCRIPTION:
a) bar attaches to directional signal and curves to the right of the steering column for right-hand use



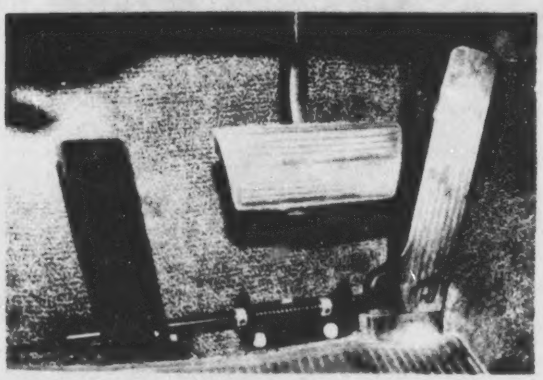
AUTOMOBILE ACCELERATOR FOR LEFT FOOT

CLASSIFICATION 1: TRANSPORTATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: LOWER EXTREMITY WEAKNESS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Left Foot Accelerator
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Nelson Medical Products, Inc.
ADDRESS: 5690 Sarah Avenue
: Sarasota, FL 33583
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (813) 924-2058
CONTACT PERSON: Mrs. Nelson
DISTRIBUTOR:
NAME: Scranton Surg. Supply   Penn Med Rehab Equip
ADDRESS: 850 Providence Road   3003 Broad Avenue
: Scranton, PA 18508   Altoona, PA 16601

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $32.00
COLOR: black enamel

DESCRIPTION:
a) accelerator pedal attaches to floor on the left of the brake pedal
b) adjustable length cross-bar pushes down right side accelerator when left pedal is pushed
c) when not in use, may be detached from existing accelerator and folded forward against the floor



AUTOMOBILE PARKING BRAKE EXTENSION

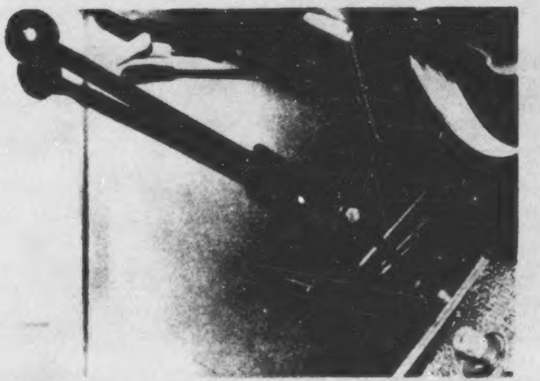
CLASSIFICATION 1: TRANSPORTATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: LOWER EXTREMITY WEAKNESS

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Parking Brake Extension
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Nelson Medical Products, Inc.
ADDRESS: 5690 Sarah Avenue
: Sarasota, FL 33583
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (813) 924-2058
CONTACT PERSON: Mrs. Nelson
DISTRIBUTOR:

NAME:	Scranton Surg. Supply	Penn Med Rehab Equip
ADDRESS:	850 Providence Road	3003 Broad Avenue
:	Scranton, PA 18508	Altoona, PA 16601

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $20.00
COLOR: black enamel

DESCRIPTION:
- a) extension handle attaches to foot-operated parking brake so that brake can be operated by hand
- b) clamps onto parking brake with bolts; no holes to drill



AUTOMOBILE SPINNER KNOB

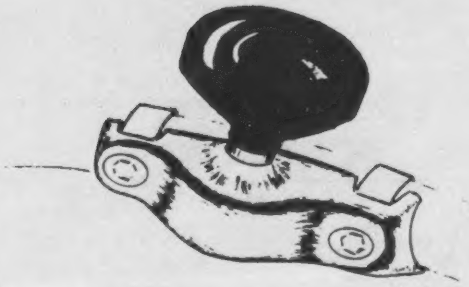
CLASSIFICATION 1: TRANSPORTATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Spinner Knob
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Nelson Medical Products, Inc.
ADDRESS: 5690 Sarah Avenue
: Sarasota, FL 33583
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (813) 924-2058
CONTACT PERSON: Mrs. Nelson
DISTRIBUTOR:

NAME:	Scranton Surg. Supply	Penn Med Rehab Equip
ADDRESS:	850 Providence Road	3003 Broad Avenue
:	Scranton, PA 18508	Altoona, PA 16601

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $15.00
COLOR: cast aluminum

DESCRIPTION:
a) knob attaches directly to steering wheel
b) for ease in one-handed steering



AUTOMOBILE STEERING BAR

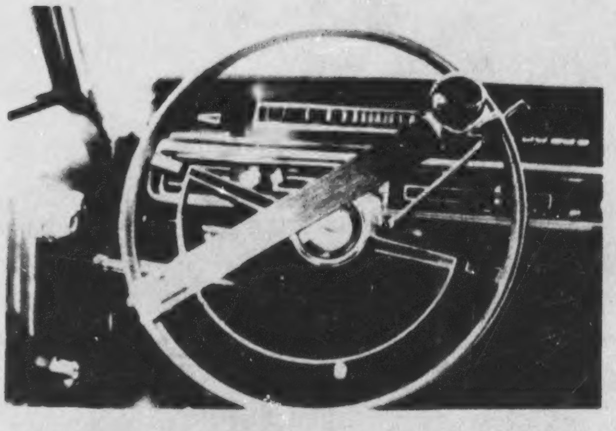
CLASSIFICATION 1: TRANSPORTATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Spinner Bar
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Nelson Medical Products, Inc.
ADDRESS: 5690 Sarah Avenue
: Sarasota, FL 33583
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (813) 924-2058
CONTACT PERSON: Mrs. Nelson
DISTRIBUTOR:

NAME:	Scranton Surg. Supply	Penn Med Rehab Equip
ADDRESS:	850 Providence Road	3003 Broad Avenue
:	Scranton, PA 18508	Altoona, PA 16601

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $20.00
COLOR: chrome-plated steel with wood grained formica

DESCRIPTION:
a) bar attaches across diameter of steering wheel
b) fits all U.S. cars except those with horn ring inside the rim of the steering wheel
c) easily removed so car can be operated by drivers who do not need it
d) for use with knob attachment



AUTOMOBILE STEERING KNOB FOR SPINNER BAR

CLASSIFICATION 1: TRANSPORTATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MANUAL DEXTERITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Knob Attachment for Spinner Bar
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: Nelson Medical Products, Inc.
ADDRESS: 5690 Sarah Avenue
: Sarasota, FL 33583
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (813) 924-2058
CONTACT PERSON: Mrs. Nelson
DISTRIBUTOR:

NAME:	Scranton Surg. Supply	Penn Med Rehab Equip
ADDRESS:	850 Providence Road	3003 Broad Avenue
:	Scranton, PA 18508	Altoona, PA 16601

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $10.00
COLOR: black

DESCRIPTION:
a) attaches to Spinner Bar for one-handed steering
b) also available as a bicycle grip post ($12.00)
or as a C-clamp type yoke for use with the wrist
($15.00)

TRICYCLE, ELECTRIC

CLASSIFICATION 1: TRANSPORTATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Cycle Chair
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: General Engines Company
ADDRESS: 591 Mantua Blvd.
: Sewell, NJ 08080
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 257-7955
CONTACT PERSON: PedalPower Division

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: economy model - $995.00 (small frame)
: $1045.00 (large frame)
: standard model - $1195.00 (small frame)
: - $1245.00 (large frame)
: deluxe model - $1595.00 (small frame)
: - $1645.00 (large frame)
WEIGHT: 110 pounds
HEIGHT: 34.0 inches overall
: 18.0 inches from seat bottom to ground
WIDTH: 28.0 inches
LENGTH: 56.0 inches (small frame)
: 68.0 inches (large frame)
ELECTRICAL INFO: two deep-cycle 34 amp batteries and
: automatic household charger included
COLOR: chrome with black seat

DESCRIPTION:
a) electric tricycle chair with platform for feet (no pedals)
b) usable outside and inside - 28 inch width fits through most inside doorways
c) indoor speed - 4 or 6 mph; outdoor - 11 or 15 mph (dependent upon choice of models)
d) all controls operated with one hand
e) seat swivels for ease of entry and exit

TRICYCLE, ELECTRIC

CLASSIFICATION 1: TRANSPORTATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Electroped Folding Electric Trike
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: General Engines Company
ADDRESS: 591 Mantua Blvd.
: Sewell, NJ 08080
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 257-7955
CONTACT PERSON: PedalPower Division

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $549.95 - standard model 100FS
: $599.95 - deluxe model 100FD
: $629.95 - standard model 150FS
: $679.95 - deluxe model 150FD
SIZE: 20 inch wheel size
HEIGHT: 33.0 inches (folded)
WIDTH: 29.5 inches (folded)
LENGTH: 45.0 inches (folded)

DESCRIPTION:

a) electric tricycle with pedal, battery and charger
b) standard - 8 mph; 25 miles per charge
deluxe - 15 mph; 40 miles per charge
c) basket between rear wheels holds two bags of groceries
d) front drum brake (hand operated); rear coaster brake (pedal operated)
e) also available -
    1) The Shopper - non-folding 24 inch wheel size tricycle
    $569.95 - $699.95 price range
    2) Surrey 2 Seat - side-by-side tricycle with surrey type cover (removable) over riders
    $749.95 - $879.95 price range
    3) Dura-Trike - 26 inch wheel size tricycle with reinforced frame, available with optional basket or storage compartment
    $699.95 - $829.95 price range

BICYCLE, ELECTRIC

CLASSIFICATION 1: TRANSPORTATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Electroped Folding Electric Bicycle
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: General Engines Company
ADDRESS: 591 Mantua Blvd.
: Sewell, NJ 08080
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 257-7955
CONTACT PERSON: PedalPower Division

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $429.95 - standard model 100BS
: $479.95 - deluxe model 100BD
: $509.95 - standard model 150BS
: $559.95 - deluxe model 150BD
SIZE: 20 inch wheel size
HEIGHT: 30.0 inches (folded)
WIDTH: 20.0 inches (folded)
LENGTH: 34.0 inches (folded)

DESCRIPTION:
a) electric bicycle with pedals, batteries and charger
b) standard - 1.0 HP; 15 mph; 25 miles per charge
one battery mounts over rear wheel
deluxe - 1.5 HP; 20 mph; 40 miles per charge
two batteries mount on both sides of rear wheel
c) battery lifts out without tools for ease in charging

TRICYLE OR BICYCLE, ELECTRIFIED

CLASSIFICATION 1: TRANSPORTATION
2: RECREATION, TRAVEL
3: MOBILITY

PRODUCT BRAND NAME: Electric Motor for Your Bike or Trike
MANUFACTURER:
NAME: General Engines Company
ADDRESS: 591 Mantua Blvd.
: Sewell, NJ 08080
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (800) 257-7955
CONTACT PERSON: PedalPower Division

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $139.95 - model 50S, 0.5 HP
: for light grades and flat areas
: $179.95 - model 100S, 1.0 HP
: for hilly areas and medium load
: $199.95 - model 150S, 1.5 HP
: for steep areas and heavy loads
: $189.95 - model 50D, 0.5 HP
: $229.95 - model 100D, 1.0 HP
: $249.95 - model 150D, 1.5 HP
ELECTRICAL INFO: handlebar mounted electric motor
: battery mounts on rear wheel
: or under cross bar

DESCRIPTION:

a) "S" - Standard models - electric motor, handelbar mounted control lever, motor cover, heavy duty battery case, mounting brackets and hardware
b) "D" - Deluxe models - all Standard equipment plus push button and locking lever control, electric horn with push button mounted on handlebar, sealed beam headlight, voltmeter, "fuel gauge," wiring harness to allow easy battery removal
c) batteries are extra - one needed for 50 and 100 models; two needed for 150 models - $49.95
(12v-34amp water activated deep cycle Gould Battery)
d) battery charger is extra - one needed for 50 and 100 models; two needed for 150 models
12v-34amp charger for 50 and 100 models - $19.95
24v-34amp charger for 150 models - $29.95

CATALOGS AND MANUALS

In this section are catalogs that provide useful information in the following areas (e.g.) -

food and food preparation
travel and recreation
dexterity deficiencies

FREE STUFF FOR SENIORS

PUBLISHER:
NAME: Colonial Exchange, Inc.
ADDRESS: 5 Penn Center, Dept DU
: Philadelphia, PA 19181
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 988-5517
CONTACT PERSON: Tom Walker

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: free
SIZE: 51 pages
WIDTH: 6 inches
COLOR: yellow

DESCRIPTION:
a) lists pamphlets available for under $1.00 of for free
b) includes addresses and ordering information for each item
c) categories include health, food and nutrition, retirement, finances, home and garden, travel and activities
d) send name, address and date of birth to "Free Stuff Book" at above address (available only to people 50 years old and older)

MEALTIME MANUAL

CATALOG NAME: Mealtime Manual for People with
: Disabilities and the Aging
ORDERING INFORMATION:
NAME: Mealtime Manual
ADDRESS: Box 65
: Ronks, PA 17572
PUBLISHER:
NAME: Campbell Soup Company
ADDRESS: Box (MM) 56
: Camden, NJ 08101
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 964-4000

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $3.75 (includes postage)
SIZE: 269 pages
WIDTH: 5 inches
LENGTH: 8 inches
COLOR: red

DESCRIPTION:
a) includes helpful hints for everyday food preparation and recipes for one to four people
b) products and useful adaptations for everyday use
c) a listing of heplful agencies, periodicals, and sources for products
d) ring binding; opens flat for easy use
e) index
f) allow 6 - 8 weeks for delivery
g) prepared by the Institute of Rehabilitation Medicine, New York University Medical Center and Campbell Soup Company

SELF-HELP MANUAL FOR PATIENTS WITH ARTHRITIS

PUBLISHER:
NAME: The Arthritis Foundation
ADDRESS: 3400 Peachtree Road NE
: Atlanta, GA 30326

DISTRIBUTORS:
NAME: The Arthritis Foundation, Eastern PA Chapter
ADDRESS: 311 South Juniper Street
: Philadelphia, PA 19107
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 735-5272
CONTACT PERSON: Carolyn McGrory, RN

NAME: The Arthritis Foundation, Western PA Chapter
ADDRESS: 2200 Clark Building
: Pittsburgh, PA
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (412) 566-1645
CONTACT PERSON: Jan Bigler

NAME: The Arthritis Foundation, Central PA Chapter
ADDRESS: 2019 Chestnut Street
: Camp Hill, PA 17011
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (717) 763-0900
CONTACT PERSON: Ronald E. Fritz

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $2.50 or free
SIZE: 246 pages
WIDTH: 5 inches
LENGTH: 6 inches
COLOR: green and white

DESCRIPTION:
a) contains useful products and adaptations of products to aid people with loss in manual dexterity and reduced mobility
b) includes a listing of helpful agencies, periodicals and sources for products
c) prepared by the Arthritis Health Professions Section of The Arthritis Foundation
d) ring binding; opens flat for easy reading

NOTE: The above PA chapters of The Arthritis Foundation provide several services to all people including
telephone counselling
patient clubs - self-help groups
clinics - sliding fee scale
patient education classes
information about and free loan of self-help devices

LATER YEARS CAN BE BETTER YEARS

CATALOG NAME: Later Years Can Be Better Years -
: with a Little Help
PUBLISHER:
NAME: American Institutes for Research
ADDRESS: Washington, DC
: January, 1980
: Administration on Aging grant #90-A-1320
REPRINTED:
NAME: Pennsylvania Department of Aging
ADDRESS: 231 State Street
: Harrisburg, PA 17101
: September, 1982
: with permission of AoA and in conjunction w/
: the Institute on Aging, Drexel University

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: contact Pennsylvania Area Agencies on Aging
SIZE: 154 pages
WIDTH: 6 inches
LENGTH: 8 inches

DESCRIPTION:
a) helpful hints for dealing with everyday chores
b) includes products, adaptations of products for everday use and sources for the products

PRODUCTS FOR PEOPLE WITH VISION PROBLEMS

PUBLISHER:
NAME: American Foundation for the Blind
ADDRESS: 15 West Sixteenth Street
: New York, NY 10011
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (212) 620-2172
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Service

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: free
SIZE: 120 pages
WIDTH: 8.5 inches
LENGTH: 11.0 inches
COLOR: red

DESCRIPTION:
a) contains many different types of products useful to persons with limited vision or blind
b) printed in large type
c) includes merchandise order blanks, printed in very large type
d) price list is separate and must be requested

SELF HELP ITEMS FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING

PUBLISHER:
NAME: FashionAble
ADDRESS: Rocky Hill, NJ 08533
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (609) 921-2563
CONTACT PERSON: Mary Hardesty

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: $.50
SIZE: 8 pages
WIDTH: 11.5 inches
LENGTH: 16 inches

DESCRIPTION:
a) direct mail order company
b) contains items useful for people with minor to more severe limitations
c) many of their items are useful adaptations of everyday items

SEARS HOME HEALTH CARE CATALOG

PUBLISHER:
NAME: Sears, Roebuck and Company
ADDRESS: 4640 Roosevelt Blvd.
ADDRESS: Philadelphia, PA 19132
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (215) 831-3701
CONTACT PERSON: Customer Relations

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: free
SIZE: 64 pages
WIDTH: 8.5 inches
LENGTH: 11.0 inches

DESCRIPTION:
a) contains a variety of items from medical equipment to talking radios
b) includes information on medicare reimbursement
c) contact local Sears retail or catalog store for information on ordering the catalog

NELSON MEDICAL PRODUCTS CATALOG

PUBLISHER:
NAME: Nelson Medical Products
ADDRESS: 5690 Sarah Avenue
: Sarasota, FL 33583
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (813) 924-2058
CONTACT PERSON: Mrs. Nelson

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS:
COST: free
SIZE: 35 pages
WIDTH: 8.5 inches
LENGTH: 11.0 inches

DESCRIPTION:
a) contains automobile adaptive devices, self help aids and medical products including walkers and wheelchair accessories
b) all automotive devices are manufactured by Nelson

APPENDICES

The Appendices provide the following information -

Appendix A lists Pennsylvania dealers that provide the products distributed by Maddak, Inc. and Fred Sammons, Inc. These two distributors are not direct mail order firms; their products can only be purchased at the businesses listed in this Appendix. The Appendix is arranged alphabetically by city.

Appendix B lists the places in Pennsylvania where "Lifeline" is installed. Specific information as to cost and operation can be obtained by calling the organization in your area. The Appendix is arranged alphabetically by city.

APPENDIX A

Products distributed by Maddak, Inc., and Fred Sammons, Inc. are available from the following Pennsylvania businesses -

PENNSYLVANIA DISTRIBUTORS FOR MADDAK, INC.

ABINGTON, PA
Gatti Medical
1231 York Road

ALIQUIPPA, PA
Allstate Medical Supply
1836 Broadhead Road

Respiratory Clinic Supplies
1505 Wimpole Street

ALLENTOWN, PA
Solmar Surgical Supply
30 North 5th Street

ALTOONA, PA
Kirkpatrick Brothers
2132 18th Street

Penn Medical Rehab. Equip.
3003 Broad Avenue

National Surgical Fitters
1013 Chestnut Avenue

BEAVER, PA
Major Medi-Mart Center
444 Third Street

BETHLEHEM, PA
Birkels Surgical Supply
423 Wyandotte Street

BRIDGEPORT, PA
Numedco
401 East 4th Street

CHESTER, PA
Nelson's Surgical Supply
120 East 9th Street

CONSHOHOCKEN, PA
Johnson Rents
1000 Conshohocken Road

CORNWELL HEIGHTS, PA
General Medical/Whittaker
3190 Tucker Road

DOWNINGTOWN, PA
Chester County Med. Supply
5031 Horseshoe Pike

Chester County Med. Supply
143 W. Lancaster Avenue

DREXEL HILL, PA
Sherby Pharm/Med Equip.
1254 Township Line Road

EASTON, PA
Bell Pharmaceutical
2045 Fairview Avenue

Young's Medical Equip.
1019 North Hampton

FEASTERVILLE, PA
Ascher Surgical Supply
1141 Bustleton Pike

GREENSBURG, PA
Medical Home Care Service
223 South Maple Avenue

Stuart Drug Surgical
Donohue/Luxor Roads

HARRISBURG, PA
Harrisburg Surgical
1223 North Cameron Street

HAZELTON, PA
Community Medical Supply
30th/North Church Streets

Hazelton Medical Supply
420 West 9th Street

KENNETT SQUARE, PA
Drug Mart Equipment
101 East State Street

KINGSTON, PA
Patient Care Center
230 Wyoming Avenue

LANCASTER, PA
Allied Surgical Supply
137 North Duke Street

Lancaster Surgical Supply
214 North Duke Street
P.O. Box 36

Medicare Equipment Center
833 Park City Center

LANSDALE, PA
North Penn Med/Surg Supply
9 North Mitchell Avenue

LEBANON, PA
RS Home Medical Care
12 North 9th Street

LEVITTOWN, PA
York Medical/Surgical
5524 New Falls Road

MC MURRAY, PA
Penn-Medical Supply
103 Rahway Drive

MT. CARMEL, PA
Associated Surgical Supply
43 South Oak Street

NEWTOWN SQUARE, PA
Suburban Medical Services
5149 West Chester Pike

NORRISTOWN, PA
Myoderm Medical Supply
322 Dekalb Street

OIL CITY, PA
Glenview Apothecary
9 Glenview Avenue

PHILADELPHIA, PA
Alvin Drug Center
6122 Green Street

American Medical Supply
617 West Olney Avenue

Ascher Surgical Supply
5737 North Broad Street

Ascher Surgical Supply
8640 Germantown Road

Bregman's Medical Equip.
901 Tyson Avenue

Brotherson Hospital Supply
56th & Lancaster Streets

Castor Avenue Pharmaceutical
6651 Castor Avenue

Gatti Medical
Longshore & Crispin

Health Care
1241 Vine Street

Keystone Surgical Supplies
171 E. Hunting Park Avenue

Medical Equip. Unlimited
231 Race Street

Medical Specialty Company
1505 Race Street

Miller Drug/Surgical Supply
3200 Kensington Avenue

Northeast Medical Equip.
735 West Lindley Avenue

Professional Health Care
3901 Conshohocken Avenue

Sagins
6800 Dicks Avenue

PHILADELPHIA, PA (cont)
Shelly's Surgical Supply
8850 Frankford Avenue

West Wholesale Drug
231 East Luzerne Street

PITTSBURGH, PA
Dowd Rental Service Sales
904 Penn Avenue

Reick Brothers
5220 Center Avenue

Benjamin Green Orthropedic
119 South Highland Mall

Hites Surgical Appliances
1-200 Allegheny Center Mall

Medical-Supply Services
2728 Murray Avenue

Para Medical
1000 Walnut Street

POTTSTOWN, PA
Prof. Convalescent Products
920 N. Charlotte Street

POTTSVILLE, PA
American Surgical Supply
1413 West Market Street

READING, PA
Foster/Bellevue
4201 Pottsville Pike

Reading Medical Equip.
222 South 6th Street

Saylor Weaver Surgical
254 South 4th Street

SCRANTON, PA
Andrew Browns Home
Health Care Center

Home Health Care Center
1512 Pittston Avenue

A. Lomma Company
211 West Market Street

SUNBURY, PA
Medical Surgical Center
454 Market Street

TARENTUM, PA
Physical Surgical Supply
301 Corbet Street

UPPER DARBY, PA
Abbey Medical Service
8004 West Chester Pike

Delaware Valley Surgical
825 Garrett Road

Medical Aid Rents
312 South 69th Street

WARMINSTER, PA
Delcrest Medical Products
365 West Street Road

WEST READING, PA
Tamdot
320 Penn Avenue

WILLIAMSPORT, PA
Dice Drug Company
59 East 3rd Street

Hub Surgical
902 Arch Street

Lou-Nun Surgical Supply
136 East 4th Street

WILLOW GROVE, PA
Medi Service
635 Davisville Road

WYOMISSING, PA
Medicare Equip. Center
Berkshire Mall West

YORK, PA
Medicare Surgical Supply
1500 N. George Street

PENNSYLVANIA DISTRIBUTORS FOR FRED SAMMONS, INC.

CONSHOHOCKEN, PA
Johnson Rents
1000 Conshohocken Road

Metro Medical, Inc.
1010 Matson Ford Road

COPLAY, PA
Abbey Rents
117 Ruch Street

EASTON, PA
Young's Medical Equip.
1019 Northampton Street

ERIE, PA
Whittaker General Medical
2035 W. 12th Street

GREENSBURG, PA
Stuart's Surgical Supply
One Stuart Plaza

HARRISBURG, PA
Harrisburg Surgical Supply
1223 N. Cameron Street

Whittaker General Medical
330 East Park Drive

KINGSTON, PA
Patient Care Corporation
230 Wyoming Avenue

LEVITTOWN, PA
Delcrest Medical Products
Emillie & Woernoer Road

NORRISTOWN, PA
Delcrest Medical Products
1710 Dekalb Pike

PHILADELPHIA, PA
Bonel Medical Equip. Co.
4849 North Broad Street

Brotherson Hospital Supply
5610 Lancaster Avenue

Delcrest Medical Products
1109 Walnut Street

Mobile Medical Service
13440 Damar Dr., Unit J

PITTSBURGH, PA
Dowd Rental Service & Sales
904 Penn Avenue

Liken Medicare Center
3519 Bigelow Blvd.

READING, PA
Foster/Bellevue
4201 Pottsville Pike

ROCHESTER, PA
Liken Medicare Center
900 Ohio River Blvd.

UPPER DARBY, PA
Abbey Medical
8004 West Chester Pike

WARMINSTER, PA
Delcrest Medical Products
365 West Street Road

WILLOW GROVE, PA
Abbey Medical
707 N. Easton Road

APPENDIX B

LIFELINE SYSTEMS, INC.

ALTOONA, PA 16603
David Kimmel, Director of Public Relations
Mercy Hospital
2500 Seventh Avenue
(814) 944-1681

BRISTOL, PA 19007
Barbara Cooney
Lower Bucks County Hospital
(215) 782-9280

CHAMBERSBURG, PA
R.V. Nelson, Administrator
Chambersburg Hospital
(717) 264-5171

CORRY, PA
Raymond Graeca, President or
Martha Harshberger, Social Services Director
Corry Memorial Hospital
612 West Smith Street
(814) 664-4641

DANVILLE, PA 17821
Rose-Ann Dalpiaz, Quality Assurance Coordinator
Geisinger Medical Center
North Academy Avenue

FRANKLIN, PA
Dan Hamilton, Administrator
Franklin County Hospital
(814) 437-7000

Chris Ross, Executive Director
Venango County Area Agency on Aging
(814) 437-3883

HARRISBURG, PA 17105
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Polyclinic Medical Center
Third and Radnor
(717) 782-4141

JOHNSTOWN, PA 15901
Lanny Stinson, EMT Coordinator
Emergency Department
Lee Hospital
320 Main Street
(814) 535-7541

LANCASTER, PA
Lecia Albright, Director Ambulatory Care
St. Joseph's Hospital
(717) 291-8019

David Haverstick
Lancaster County Area Agency on Aging
(717) 299-7999

PHILADELPHIA, PA
John Whitman, Assistant Director
Jeanes Hospital
7600 Central Avenue
(215) 728-2299

Delores Prewitt
Operation Lifeline
(215) 235-2112

PITTSBURGH, PA
B.K. Pisano, Patient Relations
Central Medical Center
(412) 562-3045

Alex Byers, Assistant Administrator
Forbes Health Systems at
Columbia Hospital
(412) 247-2356

Maxine Weinberg, Lifeline Coordinator
Montefiore Hospital
(412) 683-1100, ext 328

SHARON, PA
Tom Manning, Director Social Services
Sharon General Hospital
(412) 983-3911

WELLSBORO, PA 16901
Gary A. Mosher, Asst. Executive Director
Marion Murphy, Social Services Director
Soldiers and Sailors Hospital
Central Avenue
(717) 724-1631

INDICES

The following indices are provided to make the Catalog more useful -

1. Personal Need Area Index is divided into seven categories -

    Communication
    Food and Food Preparation
    Dressing and Undressing
    Personal Hygiene
    Home Maintenance
    Recreation, Travel
    Comfort and Security

    These categories relate to chores that a person performs daily and activites/feelings that add to the quality of life. Items that address a particular category are indexed in that section.

2. Physiological Limitation Index is divided into nine categories

    Vision
    Hearing
    Speech Weakness
    Dietary Needs
    Manual Dexterity
    Upper Extremity Weakness
    Lower Extremity Weakness
    Mobility
    Physical/Psychological Comfort

    These categories relate to physical limitations imposed by the normal aging process and/or disease states. Items that address a particular category are indexed in that section.

3. Business Index lists name and addresses for all companies that appear in the Catalog.

4. Product Index lists the common or generic name (all uppercase) and brand name (upper and lower case) for all items that appear in the Catalog.

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Camp Hill, PA 17011

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Where purchased______________________________Price_____

Did it perform as described?____________________________
____

Problems client had purchasing the item_________________
____

Problems client had using the item______________________
____

Recommended for a specific client

Retired ___Yes ___No
Personal need______________________________________
Physiological limitation___________________________

Would client recommed item to another?__________________
____

Would you recommed the item to another client?__________
____

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Name of item

Manufacturer/Distributor

address

phone number

Specifications (include cost, size, weight, etc.)

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